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OUTLINES.

The rate bill conference report was taken up in the Senate yesterday, and went back to conference because of objctions made by Foraker and Tillman; Foraker objected to eliminating railroad employees from the provisions of the anti-free pass clause, and wants the so-called "Jim Crow" car feature restored, saying the negroes misunderstood it, as it was meant to compel the railroads to furnish them equal accommodations for travel——Thousands of telegrams from railroad employes were laid on the Senators' desks yesterday concerning the free pass question——Edward Ralston, of Elder's Ridge, Pa., was fatally stabbed with a hat pin yesterday while separating girls who were quarreling over a game of baseball——Before the House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce yesterday, Chief Engineer Stevens favored a lock canal on the isthmus and said there were 20,000 laborers on the work——Representative Ellerbee, of South Carolina, introduced a resolution yesterday declaring that the government has overestimated the cotton acreage——The organization of the Southern States Immigration Commission was permanently organized in New York yesterday by the election of T. K. Bruner, of North Carolina as president; it will establish a bureau in charge of a secretary, in New York, to secure immigrants for the South——In the railroad investigation in Philadelphia yesterday, it was developed that a coal and coke company "for traffic reasons" presented the New York Central Railroad with stock which brought it $1,500,000——New York markets: Money on call easy, 3 to 3 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 3 1-4, closing bid 3, offered at 3 1-4; spot cotton quiet, 11.25; flour dull and about steady; wheat barely steady; No. 2 red, 94 nominal elevator; corn easy; No. 2, 58 nominal elevator; oats steady, mixed, 39 1-2; turpentine firm 60 to 60 1-2; rosin firm, strained common to good 4.00.

The Raleigh and Atlanta Merchants' Journal and Commerce says: "Never be a clam." Also keep out of the lobster class.

Democratic State Chairman F. M. Simmons continues to receive information from the various county and district conventions in North Carolina that United States Senator F. M. Simmons is being endorsed by all of them.

The South deeply grieves at the death of Senator Gorman. He was a loyal and strong friend in time of need, and had it not been for his adroit and able fight against the force bill in 1890-91 there is no telling how humiliating would have been the condition of the South to-day.

The Republican papers resent the efforts of the Democratic papers for making ex-Senator M. Butler so conspicious in the Republican party in North Carolina. Pshaw! Democratic editors have too good an eye for ball to miss noting how easily Mary Ann can slide from the Washington base to the home plate when anything political is doing in North Carolina.

The Charlotte Observer mentions that the Southern Power Company distributes more than $6,000 every week at its monster work on the Catawba river. The company employs 900 men at Catawba Falls where the big power plant is being constructed. When the plant is completed it is hard to predict what it will be worth to the country which it will supply with power.

Hon. William J. Bryan writes from Constantinople to accept an invitation to a reception to be given in his honor at Madison Square Garden, New York, when he returns from his foreign travels. The reception is tendered by the Commercial Travelers' and Hotel Men's Anti-Trust League, and prominent men from all over the United States are invited there to meet Mr. Bryan. The name of the league will be enough to indicate to Col. Bryan what they want him to talk about.

Americans boast of their enterprise and yet South American countries have been practically unexploited for trade, while European nations have immense commercial interests there. Mr. Edward C. Spencer, who has lived in Chile forty years has been appointed by the Chilean government to come to the United States to interest Americans in the advantages of Chile for mining, manufacturing, agriculture and commerce. We should have hunted up Chile long ago.

WEDDED YESTERDAY

Miss Neppie Carithers Borden, Beautiful Bride of Mr. Joseph Archibald Cannon

AN EVENING CEREMONY

Pretty Service in Grace Church Joined in Marriage Popular Young People of This City and Concord—Bridal Tour North.

One of the prettiest church weddings in Wilmington this season was that yesterday afternoon in Grace M. E. church, at six o'clock, joining in marriage Miss Neppie Carithers Borden, an accomplished young woman of this city, and Mr. Joseph Archibald Cannon, a leading young business man of Concord, N. C. The interior of the church had been beautifully decorated with palms, smilax and flowers and thronged with a large and fashionable assemblage of wedding guests, the scene was a beautiful one indeed.

The bridal party was unusually large and this added not the least to the beauty of the surroundings. The first of the party to enter the church was the first groomsman, Mr. Graham Robinson, of Concord; then down the left aisle came Miss Ida Brown and simultaneously down the right, Miss Louise Wadsworth, of Charlotte, bridesmaids; then in like order, Messrs. Will Gibson, of Concord, on the right, and Mr. George Wadsworth, of Charlotte, on the left; next, Miss Amy Harlow, of Wilmington, and Miss Mary Bond, of Edenton; then, in their order, Dr. F. O. Rogers, and Mr. James Cannon, of Concord; Miss Julia Parsley and Mrs. Henry J. MacMillan, of Wilmington; Mr. John Hall and Mr. Luther Brown; Miss Mildred Davis and Miss Nellie MacMillan, of Wilmington; Mr. Raymond Humphrey and Mr. Walter Sprunt, of Wilmington; Miss Mabel Vann, of Franklinton, and Miss Rena Johnson, of Wilmington; Mr. Champ McD. Davis, of Wilmington, and Mr. Aldridge Vann, of Franklinton. Then came the maids of honor, Misses Mary and Alice Borden, sisters of the bride, and then the bride leaning on the arm of her father, Mr. Edwin Borden, being met by the groom and his best man, Mr. F. D. Cannon, of Concord, at the altar, the two last named entering from the choir room on the left.

The ribbon children were Masters Thos. Darden, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and little Miss Mary Louise Stover, of this city. They were both in white and looked very pretty adding no little to the beautiful ensemble at the chancel.

When the party had formed a graceful company about the beautifully decorated altar, the Rev. N. M. Watson, pastor of the congregation, spoke the beautiful and impressive service of the church which made them man and wife, the party retiring from the church in reverse order, to the music of an inspiring wedding march from the large pipe organ.

The costumes were very pretty indeed. The bridesmaids were in white chiffon organdie, en princesse, and carried white bride's roses. The maids of honor were in embroidered batiste robes, one in pink and the other in blue, both carrying exquisite bouquets of La France roses. The bride wore a beautiful white silk creation and carried a lovely bouquet of roses, with tulle veil.

Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom received happy but hasty congratulations at the home of the bride's father on Third street and left on the evening train for an extended bridal tour North. Upon their return, they will be at home after July 1st at Concord, N. C.

For her charming personality and great beauty, the bride is much loved and admired in a wide circle of friends here and elsewhere. The groom is one of the leading young men of his city, of an influential and prominent family in Piedmont North Carolina and popular in the State. A large number of handsome wedding gifts were received as well as a great number of congratulatory letters and telegrams.

Many of the wedding party were from out of town and they were guests at a series of delightful social events prepared in their honor. Monday night the party were guests at the pretty home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Borden, Third and Red Cross streets.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Chas. Blomme—Closing Out Sale.
Notice—Sewerage Subscribers.
Wilmington Lodge, I. O. O. F.—Notice.
C. W. Polvogt Co.—Great Embroidery Sale.

Business Locals.

Lost—Pocketbook.
Wanted—Good Bread and Cake Baker.
Girls' Improvement Club—Performance.
Stenographer—Evening Work Wanted.

THE POLICE COURT SESSION

Young Men in Interesting Complication That May Be Serious For One —Routine Cases Tried.

A case of more than usual interest was called in the police court yesterday. The defendants were Messrs. Frank Culbreth and Fred. E. Herbst, well known young men of the city, and they were charged with engaging in an affray near Front and Market streets Monday night. Upon calling the case and inquiring into the matter superficially, William J. Bellamy, Esq., counsel for Mr. Herbst, had another warrant made out for young Culbreth, charging him, in the language of the affidavit, with committing a "secret assault upon Fred Herbst by waylaying and beating the said Herbst with intent to kill."

Young Mr. Herbst having some time ago had the misfortune to lose both his legs in a railway accident and being now on artificial limbs, naturally much feeling was shown by friends of the young men on each side, the one indignant that such charges should be preferred and the other that such an offense should have occurred as is alleged.

Young Mr. Culbreth, who is physically every inch a man, denied the charge and asked time to employ counsel and have some witnesses summoned in his behalf. The Mayor continued the case until to-day but required a justified bond of $100, which was furnished by Mr. John F. Toler, in the form of a check and book upon one of the savings banks. Young Culbreth was discharged until to-day noon when the case will be heard and the true facts as to both sides will be brought out. The assault appears to have been the sequel of a fight the afternoon previous in a downtown restaurant in which young Herbst is said to have gotten the best of his antagonist. However, these matters will come out in the hearing before the Mayor to-day and Culbreth and his friends ask a suspension of public opinion until all the facts are brought out.

The regular routine of cases yesterday were as follows: Henry Reynolds, drunk at Front street market, arrested by Officer B. F. Reaves; 10 days on the roads. Ed. Mills and Henry Waddell, colored vagrants arrested at the City Hall by Sergeant J. R. Hardee, 30 days each on the roads. Matthew Ashwood, a colored boy arrested for disorderly conduct at Bunting's drug store by Officer Leon George, 30 days on the roads. Estelle Davis, disorderly conduct at Tenth and Market streets, arrested by Officer W. J. Howard, 30 days on the farm. Simon Brown, drunk and disorderly near Front and Church streets, arrested by Sergeant C. W. Woolard, $5 fine including costs. Clarence Wallace, white, arrested at the S. A. L. depot for drunkenness and disorder, let off with the costs. Charles Reed, colored, arrested for disorderly conduct at Eleventh and Market streets by Officer W. J. Howard, fine $2.65 and costs.

AN AFTERNOON WEDDING

Miss Wallie F. Topel Led to Altar by Mr. Albert Steljes Yesterday at St. Paul's Church.

Beautiful in an elaborate decoration of plants and flowers and thronged with admiring friends and relatives of the popular young people to the marriage vow, St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church was the scene of a beautiful wedding ceremony yesterday afternoon at half after four o'clock, when Mr. Albert Steljes, a prominent young man of this city, led to the altar, Miss Wallie F. Topel, the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Topel, also of Wilmington, and they were made man and wife according to the beautiful service of the Lutheran church as spoken by the pastor of the congregation, Rev. W. A. Snyder.

To the tuneful strains of a wedding march, the party entered the church in the following order: First, the ribbon children, Master Herbert Topel and Carl Oldenbuttel; then, the ushers, Messrs. Benj. F. White, Mr. W. A. Whitney, Mr. Eduard Ahrens and Mr. Walter C. Boesch; then, the maid of honor, Miss Grace Webber, of Charlotte; next, the pretty little flower girls, Misses Annie Oldenbuttel and Helen Topel, and then the bride on the arm of her father, Mr. R. A. Topel. They were joined at the altar by the groom and his brother, Mr. Herbert Steljes, best man, both of whom entered the right. The service was very impressive indeed, the bride being given away by her father.

After the ceremony the party repaired to the home of the bride's parens, Sixteenth and Market streets, where an elegant wedding repast was served. Later Mr. and Mrs. Steljes were accompanied to the Front street

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ANOTHER JURY HUNG

Out All Last Night In Damage Suit Against Wilmington Grocery Company

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Defendant Won in Case of Weeks Against Spooner—Appeal to Supreme Court—Other Proceedings—Motion Docket.

For a second time at this term, a jury in the Superior Court is tied up over night in the Court House, unable to reach a verdict. The case is that of William J. Hart and others against the Wilmington Grocery Co., in which the plaintiff is asking $5,000 damages for alleged injuries claimed to have been sustained through the negligence of the defendant through its servant, a driver of a delivery wagon, the horse attached to which in October, 1903, at Fifth and Orange streets is alleged to have run over Mrs. Hart and caused serious injury to her for which $5,000 is asked. Practically all day was consumed in selecting a jury and hearing the testimony and argument of counsel, the case having gone to the jury after 7 o'clock. By last midnight, after supper at the Rountree House, the jury had retired to cots provided in the Court House and it was stated there was no likely of an agreement, certainly not before this morning.

Deputy Sheriff W. H. Cox is in charge of the jury which is composed as follows: E. G. Parmele, C. H. Bornemann, W. Houston Moore, J. R. Bear, W. K. Bell, John Scott, J. G. Stanley, J. H. Picket, L. G. Smith, J. M. Hall, Walter Taft and T. W. Wood.

Appearing in the case are Attorneys Jno. D. Bellamy & Son, Herbert McClammy and L. V. Grady, for the plaintiffs, and Messrs. Rountree & Carr, for the defendant grocery company. Unless a mistrial results, a verdict will probably be returned some time to-day. The issues submitted in the case are as follows:

Was plaintiff injured by the negligence of the defendant's servant?

What damage has plaintiff sustained by reason of such negligence?

Court met at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning as usual and the sheriff returned as tales jurors for the day G. Herbert Smith, T. C. Bray, Leon George, Henry G. Fennell, R. Lee Holmes.

At the close of the plaintiff's evidence in the case of C. D. Weeks, Trustee, against H. J. Spooner, Jr., the defendant demurred to the complaint and the demurrer was sustained by the court. The plaintiff excepted and took an appeal to the Supreme Court. Notice of appeal was waived. Plaintiff was allowed 30 days to state case on appeal and defendant was allowed 30 days thereafter to file counter case on appeal.

The case of George S. Baxter & Co. against J. W. Harper was continued.

Judgment was entered in the case of W. A. Vollers vs. Julius Murray. The judgment is in favor of the plaintiff for the recovery of a colt valued at $75. A writ of possession is order ed to issue against the defendant for the property named.

The motion and nonsuit docket will be taken up this morning at 10:30 o'clock and all attorneys interested are requested to be in attendance at that hour.

Blackfish Excursion.

A fine day's sport is assured all who take in the Black Fish excursion, leaving the steamer Wilmington's wharf to-morrow morning at 3 o'clock. All who desire may stop at the "Rocks" on the way down and the steamer will call for them on the return that afternoon. Tickets may be secured either from Mr. C. F. Williams, at Penny's store, No. 2 Market street, or from Mr. Will Bissinger, at the Crescent Cigar Store.

Died in New York.

Members of the family in this city were advised yesterday of the death of Mr. D. Krahnke, which occurred same day at his home in New York city. The wife of Mr. Krahnke is Miss Mary Bornemann, a sister of Justice G. W. Bornemann and Messrs. J. H. and Jacob Bornemann, all of this city. Mr. Krahnke leaves besides his wife, four children. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of friends.

Arrested Escaped Convict.

Officers H. W. Howell and B. F. Reaves yesterday arrested Maggie Jordan, a colored woman who was serving a sentence of 60 days at the County Farm and escaped from there last month. She was found in a house in an alley, near Fourth and Church streets, and was sent immediately back to the farm.

Don't miss the Embroidery Sale at Polvogt's—now on for a few days only. **

BOARD WAS LIBERAL AGAIN

Increased Pay For Firemen, Superintendent of Health and Other Officials—Regular Meeting.

The first meeting of the City Board of Audit and Finance for the new fiscal year was held last night, all members being present except Mr. McNair, who is out of the city. The Board appeared to be again in a liberal frame of mind and a number of increases in wages and salaries were allowed in addition to those made at the last meeting.

Chairman Martin Rathjen, of the committee, and Woodus Kellum, Esq., appeared before the Board in behalf of the firemen, who were granted an increase of only $3 per month when the budget was originally made. After addresses by the gentlemen named and upon motion of Mr. Wilder the men of the Department were given an increase of $5 per month from $45 to $50. Upon a later motion of Mr. Yates the same increase was made to apply to the Chief, Assistant Chief, foreman and engineers of the Department, these not having been included in the original motion. Mr. Rathjen, Mr. Kellum and Chief Schnibben very kindly thanked the Board for the consideration shown.

Messrs. L. B. Rogers and Isadore Bear appeared before the Board in reference to the paving of Chesnut, betwen Front and Water street. The Board of Audit and Finance, refused to consider the matter unless it comes in regular shape from the Board of Aldermen, that is to say, with estimates of the cost, amount chargeable to abutting property owners, their willingness to pay, etc. The Board intimated that the improvement would be allowed provided past experiences are avoided as to complications with the property owners, a number of those on North Fourth street not yet having paid their proportionate share.

The salary of Superintendent of Health was increased from $800 to $900 per year. The salary of the chief quarantine officer was raised from $56.25 to $60 per month. The salary of the clerk of Front street market was increased from $500 to $540 per year.

In reference to appropriation of $300 by the Board of Aldermen for paving the sidewalks around Fourth street market house, the matter was referred back to the Aldermen with request for estimates, etc.

The appropriation of $5,000 for sidewalks where property owners refuse to make the improvement, was not concurred in as a whole, but it was understood the Board would agree to a sufficient amount for a test case. In other words the Board believed a smaller amount would be sufficient to make the test at first.

The Board concurred in the resolution placing a transcript of the tax books for 1905 in the hands of the City Attorney for collection.

The award of the contract to the C. R. L. & P. Co., for electric lighting and gas was concurred in and also for the oil lamps to J. B. Casteen. The reduction in arc lamps is from $78.50 to $72 per year and from $32 to $28 per year for gas.

AN INJUNCTION IS GRANTED

Interesting Legal Complications Over Effort to Garnishee A. C. L. Employes in Georgia—Hearing.

In the Superior Court here yesterday Judge James L. Webb granted an injunction in favor of Mr. Paul Wierse in an interesting injunction proceeding brought in his behalf by Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy against Thomas & Co., and the Atlantic Coast Line restraining them from prosecuting or making effective an attachment in Georgia against Wierse's wages for an account due in this State. It is said that a collection agency recently entered the field here and offered for a consideration to collect accounts against A. C. L. employes by garnisheeing their wages under a Georgia law which does not apply in this State. This agency is said to have taken 600 or 700 accounts from Wilmington merchants and attached the funds by serving a process on the Atlantic Coast Line in the Cracker State. The case of Mr. Wierse was one of them and he immediately sought counsel with the result of the injunction's being allowed by Judge Webb yesterday afternoon. The hearing on the case will take place finally before Judge Webb at Kinston about 30 days hence.

Some interesting points of law are involved in the case and the outcome will be watched with interest.

Bad Negro at Beach.

In Justice Furlong's court yesterday, Cornelius Loftin, a negro employed on Mr. Pembroke Jones' estate at the Sound, was fined $10 and costs for disorderly conduct and an assault at Carolina Beach on the colored excursion there Monday. Loftin was arrested by Capt. Tom McGhee and sent up on the boat Monday night. He paid the fine and costs and was discharged.

JNO MAFFITT WRIGHT

Well Known Young Wilmington Man Passed Away Here Yesterday Morning

FROM BLOOD POISONING

Seemingly Trifling Scratch of Copper Nail Resulted in Death of an Esteemed Citizen—Funeral From St. James' This Afternoon.

No death that has occurred in Wilmington in a long time has brought sorrow to a greater number of friends than that of Mr. John Maffitt Wright, which occurred at half after ten o'clock yesterday morning at his home, No. 207 Nun street, this city. Mr. Wright had been in extremis for a day or two, but no one seemed to realize that death was so near. His genial, kindly presence was such that one could think of him only as the embodiment of life and vigor.

A week ago yesterday Mr. Wright suffered a slight cut on the hand by contact with a copper nail and blood poisoning set in. In vain did the best of surgeons seek to counteract the effect of the seemingly inconsequential wound and at the hour named, he passed gently away, perfectly resigned to meet the summons of the Grim Reaper.

Mr. Wright was 37 years of age and was a native of Wilmington, being a son of the late Joshua G. Wright and a grandson of the gallant Capt. John Newland Maffitt, of the Confederate States Navy, for whom he was named. A life-long friend of the family, in speaking of the young Mr. Wright yesterday, said that he must have inherited from that gentle ancestry those distinguishing characteristics of gentility and kindliness which made him such a favorite in the community. Mr. Wright was genial; whole-souled, buoyant in spirit and incapable of a mean or vicious act. His presence in his native city will be sadly missed and in his home circle there is a void that will be long felt. The news of Mr. Wright's death was received everywhere yesterday with expressions of the sincerest regret.

In 1891 Mr. Wright married Miss Josie Whitaker, of Wilmington, and she, a tenderly devoted wife, and three children, two boys and a little girl, the oldest 13 and the youngest, a year and a half old, survive him. He also leaves two brothers, Messrs. James Wright and Thos. H. Wright, and two sisters, Mrs. Robert H. Northrop and Mrs. Arthur B. VanBuren. Mr. Tom Wright was in New York on a business trip when a telegram reached him Monday, stating that his brother was critically ill. En route home, reaching here last night, he received the sad intelligence of his brother's death.

Mr. Wright was a member of Wilmington Lodge No. 532, B. P. O. E., Carolina Aerie No. 1171, Fraternal Order of Eagles and Wilmington Lodge No. 139, I. O. O. F. Members of those fraternities yesterday received with infinite sorrow the death of one whom they had known so well and so favorably within the circle of their brotherhoods.

The funeral of Mr. Wright will be conducted at 6 o'clock this evening from Saint James' Episcopal church, and the remains will be laid to rest in Oakdale cemetery.

A MORNING MARRIAGE.

Miss Hattie E. Legge Bride of Mr. George P. Howey.

A marriage of interest to a wide circle of friends not only in Wilmington but elsewhere was that of Miss Hattie E. Legge, an attractive young woman of this city, and Mr. George P. Howey. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock yesterday morning in Saint Paul's Episcopal church, the Rev. A. W. Seabreaze, rector of the parish, officiating. A number of friends and relatives were present to witness the service which was beautiful and impressive. Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Howey received congratulations at the home of the bride's mother and left on the morning train for Norfolk and other points where they will spend their honeymoon. Both the bride and groom have many friends and relatives in Wilmington, who extend happiest congratulations upon the union.

Embroidery Sale at Polvogt's.

Lady shoppers will be interested in the announcement of another great embroidery sale that will be inaugurated at the store of the C. W. Polvogt Company to-morrow and continuing for six days only. The offerings for this sale are notable and the ladies of the city will do well to refer to an advertisement giving particulars as will be found in another column. There are incidentally mentioned a number of other leading bargains that will be found very attractive to the careful buyer.

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PRICES AND WAGES AT VARIANCE.

During the past week $6,100,000 came to New York from San Francisco, a fact which show that the earthquake city has resumed business and is a big purchaser in the eastern markets. The conditions will gradually improve in San Francisco, and the probability is that affairs are in good shape there now or we would hear more from that quarter if conditions were not at least fairly satisfactory.

The Philadelphia Press (Rep.) noting the condition of trade and the status of prices, mentions the resumption of business at San Francisco, and touches on prices for the past week. The Press, among other things, says:

"Crop prospects improve in all directions. Wheat and cotton both fell last week. Wheat lost from 2 to 4 cents on Chicago options. Spot cotton fell a cent a pound, though less on the October option. Corn rose from 1 to 2 cents a bushel on the strength of reports of wet weather, but the broad outlook is downward. This decline in these two standard staples is not only due to good crops here, but to an increasing yield abroad. For the first time in several years there are indications that the steady advance in food in progress for ten years is near its end. It may be in cotton. Cotton goods, on the other hand, share the decline in the staple. Coffee lost a quarter of a cent a pound. Sugar will be lower before it is higher.

"In the aggregate these changes record a falling market. Price at many points, in copper and in tin, in iron and steel, in leather and in wool, as well as in cereals and cotton, seems to be very near the crest of the tidal advance in the average price of the great staples which has been rising since 1896, when prices were on the average about three-quarters of what they are now. This means an average rise from price conditions of ten years ago of one-third. Wages have risen, but not on this scale, though those employed have increased on a great scale. The result is that regularly employed and moderately salaried or waged are worse off than in 1897."

The Press is different from Republican papers in North Carolina. It states that prices are about one third higher than they were ten years ago and that as wages haven't increased in the same portion, wage-earners, including salaried men, "are worse off than in 1897."

Down South the average Republican editor in figuring on good prices would claim the credit for the Republican party, but when prices fall they would be quick to agree with the Press that crop prospects, abundant yield, and other conditions naturally cause prices to go down. The law of abundant supply over demand makes prices go down, but, with Republican logicians, rising prices are all due to the G. O. P. However, when they decline there is some other cause.

With prices one-third higher than ten years ago, with high Republican tariff taxes, and the cost of living therefore increased, where do the wage earners, "who are worse off than they were in 1897," come in?

LIFE INSURANCE PAID IN WILMINGTON.

From the New York Insurance Press we learn that the life insurance organizations and benefit societies in 1905 distributed in the United States and Canada $307,019,972. These figures represent what was paid to policyholders or their beneficiaries in the form of death claims, maturing endowments or other benefits under policies. They do not include the dividens paid to policyholders.

In 1905 one hundred and ninety-eight cities in the United States and Canada received from life insurance more than $100,000 each, New York city standing at the top of the list with $26,785,797. Wilmington figures in the list as the beneficiary from life insurance to the amount of $206,418. Charleston received $405,649 insurance money, and Greenville, S. C., got $131,074, those being the two only South Carolina cities that received the $100,000 mark or over. By the way, Wilmington was the only North Carolina city that was published in the $100,000 or more class. The benefits in Richmond were $807,690 and in Norfolk $327,438.

The largest sums of life insurance paid were as follows, in the cities named: New York, $26,757,797; Philadelphia, $9,840,271; Brooklyn, $9,182,463; Chicago, $8,894,732; Boston, $7,248,140; Baltimore, $4,043,321; St. Louis, $3,885,532; Cincinnati, $3,756,832; Pittsburg, $3,208,282; Buffalo, $2,407,030; San Francisco, $2,357,333; Detroit, $2,307,852; Cleveland, $2,268,856; Montreal, $2,266,023; New Orleans, $1,996,844; Newark, $1,928,655; Washington, $1,902,045; Providence, $1,650,538; Milwaukee, $1,562,478; Louisville, $1,496,244; Toronto, $1,450,610; Indianapolis, $1,121,575; Denver, $1,077,831; Rochester, $1,021,803; Atlanta, $948,334.

The life insurance paid in North Carolina last year footed up $2,307,027, in South Carolina $2,123,643, and in Virginia $3,756,194. In Charleston $40,000,000 life insurance is carried.

BUTLER'S SPEECH SORRY EFFORT.

Poet John Charles McNeill, of the Charlotte Observer, represented his paper at Chapel Hill on Monday night at the fourth annual banquet of the Dialetic and Philanthropic Literary Societies of the State University. The affair took place in Commons Hall, and as the report of the proceelings are interesting in more particulars than one, we make room here for this much of Mr. McNeill's report:

"Mr. John A. Parker acted as toastmaster. Mr. Parker, in introducing the alumni orator, ex-Senator Marion Butler, said that the demand in the South for successful business men is imperative and is for statesmen instead of scheming politicians. He explained why Mr. Butler was invited by saying that the University is the fosterer of freedom of thought and is not subservient to local whims. Mr. Butler was invited because he is a man who thinks and is successful. This sentiment was applauded, but when Mr. Butler arose the applause grew into an ovation."

Mr. McNeill concludes his report of the affair:

"From this point the rest of his two-hours' speech was entirely didactic, marvelously rambling and might be fairly summarized as follows: 'To do right is, broadly speaking, the right thing to do.' He apologized for his own speech, thereby doing credit to his critical judgment, for it was indeed a harmless, sorry effort. His delivery was eminently unacademic, and he dropped his g's as freely as a cockney is said to drop his h's. His eulogy of 'Uncle Joe' Cannon, though set in glowing terms, was received amid a dead silence. But I am too bored to write any more."

Hereafter Mr. McNeill will be persona non grata with Mr. Butler, and more so because he sent his paper another article giving an account of an interview which he tried to get out of the Populist-Republican statesman of Sampson county, N. C., and Washington, D. C. He makes frequent reference to the dodging and evasive answers of Mr. Butler, and after a long interview got very little out of him. Mc doubtless found out that Butler won't say what you want him to say but says it the way he wants it. He's' slick in replying to questions in an interview.

Where did that ovation come in for Butler? Somebody at the State University is trying to persuade the students that it is freedom of thought to be honoring politicians of the Butler stripe. It was merely toadying to Butler.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Put this in your pipe and smoke it. The man who buys his election or nomination will en-rich himself when he gets the office. The people must defeat the money changers in politics or their interests will be sacrificed to the Joneses who "pay the freight."—Raleigh News and Observer.

—That President Roosevelt is first of all a Republican is evidenced by his attitude in the case of Assistant District Attorney Price, who, it seems certain, is to be deposed. Mr. Price's record is clean and not a complaint against his public or private life is made, but the President orders his official decapitation for the reason that he refused to support Mr. Blackburn in 1904. This is not a pleasant prospect—the thought of the President of the United States helping a politician pay off an old score with a rival who has dared to measure up to his ideas of right living.—Salisbury Post.

—Judge Adams says the Democratic press is trying to muddy the waters by making ex-Senator Butler the issue. A more accurate way of putting it, perhaps, would be to say that Mr. Butler has made himself the issue and the Democratic press is naturally watching the experiment with a good deal of interest and what is interesting and entaining of course calls for remark and comment. Everybody concedes that Marion Butler is one of the shrewdest men this State has ever produced and surely the judge cannot blame people for being curious to know what Mr. Butler expects to get for himself out of the present situation.—Greensboro Telegram.

—Nothing will be added to or taken from the laws of the land by the passage of the so-called immunity bill introduced by Senator Knox. The law as it exists cannot be construed so as to shield anyone but the person testifying. It is a part of the criminal code and it is applicable only to criminal prosecutions. The doctrine is based on the English common law, which is older than business corporations. Strictly speaking an artificial person cannot be prosecuted criminally. It has no life to take or body to imprison. The prosecution of a corporation is simply a matter involving dollars. Of course, the prosecution of the officers of a corporattion involves more, and under the law no man can be required to give testimony that will incriminate himself. This immunity from being compelled to convict one's self does not excuse one individual from testifying against another when required to testify. — Jacksonville Times-Union.

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—"Have a drink, old man?" "No; just going to dinner." "Well, have an appetizer." "Great Scott, fellow! I can't afford to pay for the appetite I've got now."—Cleveland Leader.

—Bess—So many men are grouchy and hard to get along with. When I marry I want a husband who is easily pleased. Tess—Don't bother—that's the kind you'll get, all right.—Philadelphia Press.

She—Ever since I was a mere child I've had trouble in pronouncing certain words that have an s in them. He (anxiously)—I—I hope you don't find any difficulty in saying "yes."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

—Freda—Now that your engagement is broken are you going to make Clara send back your letters? George—Rather! I worked hard on those letters, and they're worth using again!—Illustrated Bits.

—"What do you think of these plans for exploring the Arctic regions with automobiles?" "They're none of my trouble," answered Farmer Corntossel. "Let the Eskimos worry."—Washington Star.

—Ethel—I saw Belle on the street to-day in the most stunning costume. Maud—You told me she married a poor poet. Ethel—He is; but I didn't refer to his circumstances—Boston Transcript.

—"Of course, in the theatrical profession it doesn't matter how ofter lovers quarrel." "Why so?" "Because they make up every night, and twice on matinee days."—London Tit-Bits.

—Charlotte Observer: Charlotte telephone subscribers will be interested in the announcement that the Southern Bell Telephone Company has entered into a sub-license contract with the Wadesboro Telephone Company. According to the terms of this contract, the smaller company becomes associated with the larger corporation, the long distance line of the latter connecting direct with the smaller exchange, thus offering advantages to the Wadesboro subscribers which they have not heretofore enjoyed. In the past, the long distance station of the Bell Company has been located a mile out of town. The wires will be extended into the heart of the city, and covenient connection offered to all those who have occasion to use the long distance lines. The Bell Company is acquiring a number of the exchanges east of Charlotte. Hamlet, Maxton, Laurinburg, Rockingham have been puchased outright, and now Wadesboro has been added to the associate list.

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—Greensboro special, June 4: R. N. Hackett, of Wilkesboro, who is here, received a telegram tonight saying that Surry county today instructed for him for Congress as Democratic nominee in the eighth district. This insures his nomination giving him 33 more instructed votes than a majority. He needed four and Surry has 37.

—The Rowland Manufacturing Company, of Rowan, Robeson county, a lumber manufacturing concern, with $20,000 authorized and $9,000 paid in capital stock, was granted a charter by the Secretary of State, at Raleigh on Monday. The incorporators are L. Z. Hedgpeth, J. W. McKay, A. W. Walker, V. G. Pleasants, A. Baker, and W. F. Bristow, all of Rowland.

—The bulletin of the North Carolina board of health for May says that measles are reported in 41 counties, whooping cough in 34, diphtheria in 13, typhoid fever in 24, malarial fever in eight, pneumonia in 25, influenza in eight, being general in some of the mountain counties. Smallpox is reported in 29 counties, with 18 cases in Columbus, the same number in Cumberland, a great many in Gates, 20 in Halifax, 16 in Hertford, 50 in Hyde, nine in Mecklenburg, 17 in Nash and many in Pender.

—Charlotte special, June 4: A white woman of good appearance and apparently of some means, was found wandering in the woods a mile from police headquarters, where she said she had been sitting up at night alone, had not slept a wink and had eaten nothing since Friday. She was quickly seen to be demented and has been placed in the county home. It is evident that she has wandered away from her home which she says is at Belmont, eleven miles from Charlotte. The woman gave her name as Nellie Black, but added almost childishly, "I married a man named Lewis." She did not know where her husband was, nor could she give a very coherent account of herself.

—Raleigh News and Observer: It was reported last night that rural free delivery carrier McCoy, colored, who was recently appointed to the route originating at Raleigh and serving chiefly the people of the Swift Creek section has resigned. McCoy's appointment was objectionable to the people served by his route, and there was a protest filed at Washington which, however, was unavailing. Considerable comment was created by the appointment, but the Washington authorities were deaf to any reason against his employment on account of his color, it being claimed that he had meen named solely by reason of the fact that he was the next on the roll of eligibles to fill vacancies.

—At Smithfield, Johnston county, on Monday the Democratic county convention met and elected delegates to the Judicial and State conventions. A resolution passed unanimously by a rising vote, endorsing Hon. Edward W. Pou's course in Congress and instructing the delegates to vote for his nomination. The county convention to nominate candidates for various county offices was called to meet there Wednesday, August first. Congressman Pou was present and was called on to address the convention. Speaking of railroad rate legislation. Mr. Pou made a ringing speech, showing clearly the double-dealing of President Roosevelt.

—Asheville special, June 4: Hon. C. J. Harris, of Dilsboro authorizes the announcement that he will go before the Republican State Convention as candidate for chairmanship of the State Executive Committee. Mr. Harris has been here for two or three days and his announcement to this effect has awakened much interest. He was Republican candidate for Governor in the last gubneratorial campaign and his friends believe he will practically carry the west and will develop much strength in the east. He was Mr. Blackburn's bondsman when the Congressman was under indictment and Republicans of the anti-Butler faction expressed the hope and belief that either Mr. Harris or Mr. Blackburn will get the post.

—At Durham Sunday night, President Kilgo, of Trinity College, delivered the annual baccalaureate address before an audience of twelve hundred people. It was a thoughtful and eloquent plea for the organic union of Episcopal Methodism in the United States. It was out of the usual run of such addresses and was by reason of this fact as well as its inherent excellence listened to with profound attention. He made it more than a denominational question, rather one in which every American citizen and every Christian man should be interested. Especially was it calculated to inspire the graduating class with a desire to promote the union not only of divided Metholism but of all other churches. The large audience was greatly impressed with the idea so clearly and forcibly and eloquently set forth.

—Greenville, N. C., special, June 4: Luther E. Vick, until recently a trusted agent in the service of the East Carolina Railway at Farmville, N. C., was this morning arrested in Tarboro by Deputy Sheriff Frank G. Dawson, on a warrant sworn out by a representative of the American Surety Company, of New York, which concern is on his bond. Vick is charged with having embiezzed $1,127. The accused was this afternoon taken before C. D. Rountree, a justice of the peace in this city, who issued the warrant, and in default of bail to the sum of $1,000 the defendant was committed to jail to await the preliminary examination which will take place on the 7th insant. Vick is twenty-three years old, and has hitherto been regarded as an exemplary young man. He has been in the employ of the railroad company for over two years during which time he enjoyed the confidence of his employers to such an extent that Henry Clark Bridgers, president of the East Carolina Railway would not believe the charges against this popular young agent until he personally verified the figures in the claim made by his auditor under the bond of the surety company guaranteeing Vick's integrity. It is said Vick was engaged to marry an accomplished quite an heiress. bg

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The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	10 17 p m	8 32 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 20 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	2 08 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 a m
Ar. Petersburg	7.12 p m	4.27 a m
Ar. Richmond	8.00 p m	5.10 a m
Ar. Washington	11.40 p m	8.50 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1.43 a m	10.13 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4.25 a m	12.27 a m
Ar. New York	7.30 a m	3.00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 58 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 12 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk	.....	8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 53 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	10.58 p m	1.00 p m
Ar. Wilson	11.40 p m	2.05 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 05 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily. via Wilson
Lv. Wilmington	6 00 am	1 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar. Florence	9.35 am	7.40 pm	4.15 am
Ar. Columbia	12.40 pm	10.55 pm	.....
Ar. Charlest'n	1.20 pm	11.40 pm	7.05 am
Ar. Savannah	6.45 pm	2.50 am	9.30 am
Ar. Jack'ville	.....	8.40 am	2.10 pm
Ar. Tampa	.....	5 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8.35 p m	10.33 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	5.30 p m	5.55 a m
Lv. Columbia	4.30 p m	6.45 a m
Ar. Florence	8.20 p m	9.25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	12.05 a m	1.40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	9.10 a m	Ar. 8.00 p m
Ar. Fayettesville	12 20 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun.	South Bound.
Lv. Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar. 12 30 p m
Ar. Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

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To The Beach.

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In Effect June 2nd, 1906.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
6.30 A. M.	6.15 A. M.
.....	7.15 A. M.
And every half hour until	And every half hour until
11.00 P. M.	11.45 P. M.
*12.30 P. M.	.....

*12.30 P. M. car will wait for passengers from A. C. L., 12.05., and S. A. L., 11.59, when trains are not over 30 minutes late.

FREIGHT.

6.00 A. M.	7.15 A. M.
10.00 A. M.	12.15 P. M.
4.00 P. M.	6.15 P. M.
7.00 P. M.	8.15 P. M.

Freight Depot open daily except Sunday from 8.00 A. M. to 7.00 P. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
9.00 A. M.	7.45 A. M.
.....	9.45 A. M.
And every half hour until	And every half hour until
11.00 P. M.	11.45 P. M.
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WILMINGTON. N. C.

Wednesday Morning, June 6.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., June 5, 1906.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M., Tuesday, June 5th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 74 degrees; 8 P. M., 76 degrees; Maximum, 84 degrees; minimum, 67 degrees; mean, 70 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since first of the month to date, .90.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Monday, 4.6 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Thunder showers Wednesday and probably Thursday; fresh south to southwest winds.

PORT ALMANAC—June 6th.

Sun Rises .....4:41 A. M.
Sun Sets .....7:13 P. M.
Day's Length .....14 hrs., 29 m.
High Water at Southport..7:17 A. M.
High Water at Wilmington.9:47 A. M.

STATE DRUGGISTS COMING.

Annual Meeting at Wrightsville Beach, on June 14th.

On June the 14th and 15th the North Carolina Pharmaceutical Association will convene at Wrightsville in the 27th annual meeting. Mr. Thomas R. Hood, of Smithfield, is president and P. W. Vaughan, Esq., of Durham, secretary. The local secretary, Mr. George Y. Watson, of Southport, has arranged low rates at the hotels, two in a room, $1.50 per day, for the occasion.

The Wilmington druggists and local Secretary Watson have arranged an interesting social programme. In addition to the regular business, a complimentary trip will be given to Fort Caswell on the 15th and lunch at Southport, one of the oldest towns in the State. The regular Summer rates over all the railroads are low and will be an inducement, so a large number of the druggists from all over the State will be in attendance. The board of pharmacy meets on the 12th to examine applicants for license, so those who pass can have an opportunity to attend the association meeting. The wholesale druggists and traveling salesmen will be present in large numbers.

PURCHASED COUNTRY PLACE.

Mr. J. F. Baggett Acquires Valuable Property in East Wilmington.

By deed entered at the Court House for record yesterday, Mr. J. F. Baggett and wife purchase from Mr. Frank T. Mills and wife their handsome country place in East Wilmington. The property is known as the old "Schenck Place" and is one of the most desirable homes in that vicinity. In the two tracts named in the deed are 7.4 and 5.92 acres, respectively. The price paid for the property was $7,500. The sale is another indication of the very rapid appreciation of real estate values, not only in this city but in the suburbs.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Which Appear From Record Filed Yesterday.

Elijah Hewlett to Addison Hewlett, for $10 and other considerations, reserving a life estate, property in Masonboro townsaip bounded on the east by lands of Catharine Hewlett and on the north by the lands of Alozono Hewlett.

W. H. Shearin and wife to Chadbourn Sash Door and Lumber Co., for $1,200, property in Cape Fear township, containing 10 acres more or less and lying along the W. & W. railroad at Castle Haynes.

Sewerage Subscribers to Meet.

All those interested are asked not to forget the meeting of the subscribers to the service of the Wilmington Sewerage Company, in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon at 3 o'clock. It is proposed to take united and concerted action in the case of the raise in rates which was recently authorized by a decision in the Superior Court of the county. The names signed to the call for the meeting, as will appear from official notice elsewhere in to-day's paper, are those of representative business men who will have an interesting proposition to those concerned in the outcome of the suit just decided.

Delightful Boating Party.

A boating party complimentary to Miss VonBredenbeck, Mrs. J. Conrad, Mr. Speicker and Miss Froehlich, was given last night on the steamer Rosa, Capt. Charles Wessell. The party enjoyed a delightful run up the Cape Fear river 15 or 16 miles and then back to the city, arriving about midnight. Refreshments were served on board and the guests voted the affair a charming one indeed. All were indeed grateful to Capt. Wessell, the genial master of the Rosa, who showed the young people every courtesy and consideration.

Lumina.

Music every afternoon and evening at Lumina. Cars every half-hour until 11 o'clock. je6-2t**

Be on hand to secure big bargains in fine embroideries. Special sale at Polvogt's for only a few days. **

LOCAL DOTS.

—The ferry boat which arrived Monday night was the "Lawrence," bound from Philadelphia to Charleston. She was in for coal and provisions.

—The first excursion over the Seaboard Air Line will reach here from Rockingham Saturday. Mr. Frank Gough, the Seaboard's excursion manager, will be in charge.

—The Seashore Hotel will be open for guests to-day but the formal opening, with a brilliant dance, will take place Saturday night. A number of out-of-town guests will be in today.

—Southerland's excursion from Clinton, N. C., arrived yesterday, the first of the season. There were about 250 in the party. Passengers were taken as far this way as Rose Hill.

—In the Lumina bowling contest last night, the following were the scores: R. C. Orr, 208; W. G. Smith, 157; R. G. Stokley, 153; Manuel Silvia, 147; J. W. Saucke, 146.

—The dividend declared by the Fishermen's Co-Operative Packing Company at its annual meeting Monday was 6 per cent., instead of four per cent. as erroneously given in yesterday's paper.

—Past Chancellor Wm. F. Robertson, of this city, has received advices from the chairman of the Pythian Relief in San Francisco that the total amount contributed by the order in the United States for the benefit of the earthquake sufferers, up to June 1st., aggregated the magnificent sum of $80,000. Contributions are still going forward.

—"The Ugliest of Seven" is the title of an interesting little play that will be presented by the Girl's Improvement Club of the Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Sixth and Queen streets, in the hall of the building, tomorrow night. Messrs. Wilson & Daniels will appear in a specialty. Refreshments will be served after the play.

—The members of Wilmington Local, Number 25, Brotherhood of Railway Clerks are requested to remember that the meeting night is now Monday; time 8:30 and place, the Odd Fellows' hall. The change from the K. of P. hall has been made in order to meet on Monday nights instead of Saturdays. On last Monday night there was an encouraging attendance and some important business transacted.

—Upon complaint of Building Inspector H. E. Bonitz, the Mayor yesterday sent an officer down and had work stopped on an eight-inch wall that was being put up for the new Wessell stores, near Second and Market streets. The fire regulations, according to Inspector Bonitz, require the wall to be 12-inches and the Mayor has ordered the contractor to comply with the law in this respect or stop work.

—Contributions to Catherine Kennedy Home for May: Mrs. B. F. Hall, strawberries; Mrs. Bridgers, coffee; Mrs. H. F. Wilder, milk, hominy; Mrs. Andrews, eggs; Mrs. Mendelsohn, potatoes; Mrs. Solomon, books; Mrs. J. L. Cantwell, butter; Mrs. J. A. Montgomery, fish; Mrs. Roger Moore, Mrs. Thos. Armstrong, crate strawberries; A Friend, a day's outing on beach with refreshments; Consolidated Co., gas; J. A. Springer, ice daily; Mr. Hicks Bunting, drugs; Mr. R. R. Bellamy, drugs; A Friend, ice cream and cake. Monthly meeting will be held this afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Home.

—The genial master of the steamer Wilmington has made it possible for the Sunday School of Immanuel Presbyterian church to have a most delightful outing at Carolina Beach tomorrow morning at 9:15 o'clock with a band of happy children, accompanied with parents and friends and Sabbath School teachers. Each person or group of persons will carry a basket. Cake and lemonade will be furnished by the superintendent and teachers.

DEATH OF MR. BROWN.

Well Known Decorative Painter for A. C. L. Passes Away.

Mr. White Odell Brown, aged 31 years, died early yesterday morning at his home, No. 304 Hanover street.

Mr. Brown was a well known young man of this city and had for a long time been employed at the A. C. L. shops as a coach and decorative painter. He leaves to mourn their loss, besides a mother and seven sisters, a wife and two small children. His mother is Mrs. Sallie Brown, of Hickory, N. C., where five sisters, Mrs. Nellie Bruno, Misses Lucy, Katie, Fannie and Hilda Brown also make their home. Two other sisters are Mrs. Cora Kistlie, of Lincolnton, N. C., and Mrs. Mary Fennell, of Chester, S. C.

Deceased was a member of Wilmington Lodge, Odd Fellows, who will attend the funeral this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Bladen M. E. church. Elsewhere in today's paper will be found a card calling members of the lodge to assemble for this purpose.

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DIED.

WRIGHT—at his home in this city, No. 207 Nun street, Tuesday, June 5th, at 10:30 A. M., JOHN MAFFITT WRIGHT, aged 37 years.

Funeral this (Wednesday) afternoon at 6 P. M. from St. James' Episcopal church; interment in Oakdale cemetery. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

AN AFTERNOON WEDDING

Concluded From First Page.

station of the Atlantic Coast Line where they departed showered with rice and good wishes for a wedding tour North, including New York, Niagara Falls, Baltimore and Washington. They will return in about ten days and will be at home at Tenth and Market streets. Both the bride and groom have very many friends who will congratulate them upon their happy union. In testimony of the high esteem in which both are held, a large number of very handsome wedding gifts were received as well as a number of letters and telegrams of congratulation.

The costume of the bride for the ceremony yesterday was a beautiful creation of white crepe de chine over taffeta. She carried a beautiful bouquet of Lillies of the Valley. The maid of honor wore a becoming costume of pink silk and carried bride's roses.

ALDERMAN MOORE VERY ILL.

Acute Attack of Appendicitis Yesterday Morning—Some Encouragement.

Friends of Alderman P. Q. Moore will regret exceedingly to know that yesterday morning before day he suffered a violent attack of appendicitis rendering an operation immediately necessary. The operation was performed at the James Walker Memorial Hospital at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, but it was found that the disease had advanced so rapidly in his case that his condition gave little hope to friends and relatives. All day long he remained in extremis, but it will be good news to hundreds of inquirers to know that last night at 10:30 o'clock when his physician left him, a statement was given out that the patient was resting easy and that his symptoms indicated some improvement. However, it was stated that another 12 hours would have to elapse before the outcome of the attack can be any way accurately determined.

Drs. F. H. Russell and D. W. Bulluck are attending him and until last night gave no hope. Hundreds of friends yesterday anxiously inquired as to Mr. Moore's condition and all expressed the hope that with his strong constitution he would be able to pull through. Those hopes are still entertained and news from his bedside will be anxiously awaited.

ENCOURAGE STATE FAIRS.

State Board of Agriculture—Hotel for Clarkton, N. C.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 5.—A resolution by A. T. McCallum, of Red Springs, was adopted by the State Board of Agriculture for the encouragement of agriculture and agricultural fairs and stimulating the farmers of the State to a greater diversity of crops by providing special premiums at various fairs in the State where the fair management supplements an equal amount. For the State Fair at Raleigh $200 for the best and greatest variety and most artistically arranged collective agricultural exhibit and $100 for the second best. And for county or local agricultural fairs $100 for the best exhibit of the same character and $50 for the second best. Also a like provision for the State colored fair at Raleigh.

The date for the meeting of the North Carolina Association of county superintendents of public schools is changed to June 16th and 18th and will be held in connection with the State Teachers' Assembly and North Carolina Summer School, the assembly convening on June 12th and the Summer school on June 18th, the latter continuing three weeks.

A charter is issued for the Clarkton Hotel Co., of Clarkton, Bladen county. The capital is $25,000 authorized and $7,500 subscribed by O. L. Clark and others.

WADESBORO LYNCHING.

Coroner's Jury Returned Verdict Yesterday Implicating 23.

Wadesboro, N. C., June 4.—Following is the verdict of the coroner's jury returned this morning in the case of J. V. Johnson:

"North Carolina, Anson county, We, the jury empanelled to find the cause of the death of J. V. Johnson, after examining the State's evidence and according to this evidence only rendered before his honor, Judge Walter Neal, at Wadesboro, find the following:

That the said J. V. Johnson was taken out of jail at Wadesboro on the morning of the 28th of May, 1906, by a party of men, some being masked and others not, and carried to a point three quarters of a mile from Wadesboro and there hanged. An examination of the body reveals gun and pistol shot wounds, also knife cuts.

We also find, according to the evidance as produced before Judge Neal's court, that the following persons composed a part of the mob that stormed the jail on the morning of the 28th day of May, 1906: H. D. Kendall, H. D. Kendell, Jr., Walter Meeks, Zeke Lewis, John Jones, Joe Meachum, Battle Lewis, Ira and Lester Johnson, William and Fred Dunn, Ben Holt, May Gulledge, Jim Swink, Elmer Dunn, Otis Martin, Clyde Bowman, B. F. Timmons, John Niven, Will Niven, Lewis, Adams and son, Frank Niven and 75 to 100 other names unknown to us.

The jury was composed of U. B. Bialock, W. T. Brasington, Robert Lampley, E. C. Griggs, H. W. Little, R. J. Lewey.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. R. Newkirk, of Willard, N. C., was here yesterday.

—Mrs. J. A. McNorton has returned from a very pleasant visit to her parents at East Arcadia.

—Jackson Grier, Esq., of Whiteville, was here yesterday on his way to Lumberton on professional business.

—Miss Pauline Cleapor left yesterday for Charleston, S. C., where she will be the guests of friends and relatives.

—Capt. A. T. Clark, of Bolton, was here yesterday on his way to Fayetteville to attend the Judicial Convention there to-day.

—Mrs L. Leon arrived yesterday from Charlotte and will make Wilmington her home. She is stopping with Mrs. Mayo, on Princess street.

—Mr. W. L. Warrock and family of Rosebud, Tex., who have been visiting relatives in the city, returned home yesterday morning.

—Capt. Wm. S. Ramsey, of Baltimore, one of the most popular travelling men on the road, was here yesterda y and called at the Star office.

—Miss Mary Hergenrother has returned from a delightful visit of three months to Maryland and Washington.

—Mrs. James H. Taylor and little daughter, Miss Carrie McLean have returned from a pleasant visit to Charlotte.

—Mr. J. W. Coleburn, a clever young gentleman, who has been connected with the telegraph department of the Atlantic Coast Line, left Monday for Exmore, Va., where he will be agent and operator for the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad.

BASEBALL.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Detroit-Washington, rain.
Chicago, 7; Philadelphia, 1.
St. Louis, 9; New York, 5.
Cleceland-Boston, rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia, 9; Cincinnati, 8.
Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 2.
New York, 0; Chicago, 6.
Boston, 3; Pittsburg, 9.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Atlanta, 5; New Orleans, 3.
Contgomery, 8; Memphis, 3.
Nashville, 6; Shreveport, 1.
Birmingham-Little Rock, rain.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Macon, 1; Augusta, 5.
Columbia, 6; Charleston, 2.
Jacksonville, 3; Savannah, 4.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

Norfolk, 3; Danville, 0.
Portsmouth-Lynchburg, postponed, rain.
Roanoke, 5; Richmond, 4.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER CO.

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CLOSING EXERCISES.

School Conducted By Miss Hart and Miss Brown in Wilmington.

In the school conducted by Miss Hart and Miss Brown, following the final examinations the session was yesterday brought to a close by the presentation of certificates and prizes.

Certificates are given only to pupils attaining 95 per cent., or more in lessons or conduct. Prizes—in lessons, for 99 per cent. or for the highest number attained; in conduct, for the record judged by the principals to have been the most deserving; in punctuality, for 100 per cent. or for the highest number attained.

The following pupils were mentioned as having made above 90 per cent. in scholarship: Lilian Kenly, Katherine Vollers, Myrtle Vollers, Robert DeRosset, Dougald MacMillan.

Certificates of proficiency in scholarship were won by Eliza Davis, 98.9 per cent; Helen Kenly, 97.1 per cent.; D. Hart McKoy, 95.8 per cent. This certificate was lost through sickness only by Elizabeth Smith and Dougald MacMillan.

Certificates of excellent conduct were given to Eliza Davis and Myrtle Vollers.

Prizes were awarded as follows:

For attaining the maximum in punctuality, to Helen Kenly, Lilian Kenly Katherine Vollers, Myrtle Vollers, Robert DeRosset, D. Hart McKoy; for scholarship, Eliza Davis; for conduct, Katherine Vollers; for writing, Florette Schloss; for needlework, Myrtle Vollers; for the highest total average of punctuality, scholarship and conduct, D. Hart McKoy.

The Marion medal for "conscientiousness and courtesy," was earned by Helen Miller Kenly.

—Col. A. H. Slocomb, of Fayetteville, was here yesterday.

NATURE SPARES

The Stricken Rose From Grief.

What a fortunate provision of nature it is, that deprives the rose of mental suffering; for how poignant would be its grief to discover, in the height of its blooming glory, that a canker fed at its heart, and that its beauty and fragrance were doomed forever. Nature always spares the suffering; she is a veritable store-house of pleasing rewards, for those who seek her aid. In the years gone by falling hair and grayness have cast a gloom over the lives of thousands of young women, but thanks to the investigations of scientists the true cause of hair destruction is now known to be a germ or parasite that burrows into the hair follicles. Newbro's Herpicide absolutely destroys this germ, thus permitting the hair to grow as nature intended. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.
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CUMBERLAND CONVENTION.

Number of Endorsements Made—The Race For Solicitor.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Fayetteville, N. C., June 5.—The Cumberland County convention to-day endorsed H. L. Cook for Congress; N. A. Sinclair, for solicitor; C. C. Lyon for Judge and McNeill for Coporation Commissioner. The seventh judicial convention meets here at two o'clock tomorrow. C. C. Lyon has no opposition. Peschau and Sinclair, for solicitor may be joined in a race for solicitor. Columbus has a prominent candidate for Congress in Joseph A. Brown.

Announcement

311 Bales Prairie Hay, 50c. bale.
187 Bales Mixed Hay, 90c. per 100.
294 Bales No. 1 Hay, $1 per 100.
269 Bales Choice Hay, $1.10 per 100.
511 Bags Pure Bran, $1.35 bag.
960 Bushels Best Oats, 50c. oushel.
1[illegible] Bags Ship Stuff, $1.35 bag.
422 Bushels Best Corn.
780 Bushels Best Meal.
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BIG BATTLESHIP IN THE SENATE

The Naval Appropriation Bill Amended Concerning Monster Fighting Machine

Upon Foraker and Tillamn's Objections Rate Bill Goes Back to Conference—House Had Red Letter Day With Bills.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, June 5.—The Senate today passed the naval appropriation bill and also gave considerable attention to the conference report on the railroad rate bill. The only important amendment made to the naval bill was one requiring the Secretary of the Navy to submit the plans of the proposed big warship to Congress before proceeding with its consideration. The provision for the vessel supplied the basis for the only discussion in connection with the measure. The bill carries a total appropriation of $103,117,670.

There is no doubt that the rate bill will be sent back to conference. Senator Tillman admitted that there were some changes in conference which could not be justified under the rules but said they had been necessary in order to make the bill harmonious.

Senator Foraker criticised the changes in the anti-pass provision, the addition compelling connections with lateral lines and the omission of the provision regarding "Jim Crow" cars. Senator Gallinger took exception to the increase in the salary of the secretary of the commission.

The discussion of the report will continue in the Senate.

The House.

Against the days when the House of Representatives was in the throes of a filibuster, of "putting off until tomorrow what it might have done the day before," must be set the work accomplished today in the lower branch of the national legislature.

In many particulars today was a "red letter day" in the House, not only in the number of bills passed but in the general character of the legislation enacted. After what bid fair to cause endless trouble, the naturalization bill was passed under suspension of the rules, the Speaker and the gentleman in charge of the bill, Mr. Bonynge of Colorado doing team work of a superior kind.

The House refused to pass a bill leasing to a private firm or corporation the right to mine coal on the Island of Batan in the Philipine group, although it was stated that such a lease would decrease the amount paid by the government for the coal quarry considerably.

KILLED HUSBAND, SHOT WIFE.

Peculiar Tragedy at Bride's Birthday Party in New York.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

New York, June 5.—In the midst of gaiety attending a birthday party in South Brooklyn early to-day, one of the guests killed another and subsequently shot and fatally wounded the latter's wife.

In honor of the birthday of his bride, John Kellar gave a party to thirty of his friends at his home, 92nd street and Dalgreen Place last night and among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Kelley, who lived in the neighborhood. All were seated around a large table and next to Mrs. Kelley, who is 42 years old, was John Kilbright, a young man well known to all present.

The party had been in progress all evening and was concluding with a supper at half past 12 o'clock this morning when Kilbright is alleged to have made in an undertone an insulting remark to Mrs. Kelley. Her husband overheard it and immediately demanded an apology.

Without answer Kilbright is alleged to have risen to his feet and shot Kelley through the head, killing his instantly.

In terror and confusion the guests as the Kellars fled, and all except Mrs. Kelley and Kilbright left the house.

Kellar went to call an ambulance from the Norwegian hospital which arrived very quickly and the surgeon said Kelley was dead. He then drove away.

When the Kellars re-entered their home they heard groans, and searching found Mrs. Kelley lying under a ber in a room on the second floor. She was fatally wounded, but said that when the others ran away, Kilbright had pursued hed with his pistol to the upper floor and following her into the bedroom had shot her. The ambulance was re-called and she was taken to the hospital.

The alleged muderer was arrested.

COAL MINE TROUBLE IN OHIO.

Troops in Charge of Situation and All Quiet.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Dillonvale, Ohio, June 5.—With a total of about 1,150 members of the Ohio National Guard comprising the pick of two regiments of the State militia on guard, quite reigns in the mining region. The main body of the troops are bivouacked on the hills surrounding the Bradley mine, the property of the United States Coal Company and and one half miles south of Smithfield. The soldiery is under the immediate command of Brigadier General J. C. Speaks, who has established headquarters just outside of Bradley.

At the offices of the coal companies it was announced to-night that "all of the guards or private detectives" whose presence at the mines is alleged to have been the cause of the riots Sunday night have been relieved of duty and that the military will be in full control of the mines till further notice. There was no outward display of hostility on the part of the miners on the arrival of the State troops and officials of the miners organization say there will be no trouble between them and the soldiers.

No effort has yet been made to open the Bradley mine and it was claimed by the miners that a canvass of the entire local miners field to-day showed only two men who were inclined to accept the offer of the operators.

At Plum Run Mine and the Rush Run Mine a considerable force is employed, but as only a few of those at work are experienced miners, little headway has been made and no coal is being shipped out. The miners sat around to-day on the hills and watched the militia as they went itno camp without any expression of animosity. The leaders deny very strenuously reports that they had become disheartened by failure to receive the weekly strike benefits and were ready to quit the struggle. Superintendent Stiff, of the Bradley mine said to-night that the mines will be operated and that he does not anticipate trouble.

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OREGON ELECTION MIXED.

Democrat Chosen Governor and Republican for United States Senator.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Portland, Ore., June 5.—George E. Chamberlain, Democrat, has been re-elected governor of Oregon by a majority of not less than 1,000 and perhaps as much as 2,500 over Dr. James Whithycombe, Republican. Jonathan Bourne, Jr., Republican, has received the popular nomination for United States Senator by probably a little over 5,000 majority. W. R. Ellis, Republican, has been chosen Congressman in the second district by a large majority over J. H. Graham, Democrat, and W. C. Hawley, Republican, has a safe lead over C. V. Galloway in the first district. Woman suffrage was defeated by a large majority. In Multnomah county alone, it was defeated by about 3,500 majority.

At Memphis yesterday, after a four weeks session, the seventh biennial convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers adjourned sine die to meet in Columbia, Ohio, two years hence. The convention transacted much important business.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

With a high appreciation of the kindness shown me by my Democratic friends in the past in electing me to the Office of Clerk of the Superior Court of this County. I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to that office, and ask your support at the approaching primary.

JOHN D. TAYLOR.

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Beginning To-Day, June 6th, Will Close Out My Entire Stock at LESS THAN COST.
FOR CASH ONLY

And no goods will be charged to anyone during this sale. I will not mention a few of the articles, as they are too numerous to be placed in print.

42-inch All-Wool Black Poplin that sold for $1.25 the yard.....80c.
50-inch French Serge in black only that sold for $1.25 yard at .....80c.
54-inch Serge Suiting in cream and black only, a $1.50 quality at ..$1.20
46-inch Mohair Sicilian in navy blue and black, brown and garnet that sold at 60c., to be sold at .....38c.
42-inch Cream Sicilian that sold at 90c. the yard, to go at.....75c
54-inch Bread Cloth in all colors, including black, the $2.50 quality to be sold at $1.50
44-inch Henrietta in colors and black, $1.00 quality, to go at .....75c.
44-inch Poplins in all colors and black, $1.00 quality to go at 80c
27-inch Mulls in all colors, the 60c. quality, to sell at 38c
21-inch Messaline Silks, the very newest silks on the market, imported goods, worth $1.25 for.....75c
27-inch Mercerized Zephyrs and Poplins in a beautiful line of shades, sold at 25 and 30c, at.....17.1-2c
27-inch Mercerized Waistings in a good variety of patterns at...17.1-2c
Our entire line of 12 1-2c. Ginghams will be sold at.....10c

27-inch French Organdies and Lawns in neat designs at 8c. yard
38-inch Colored Madras and Percales the 12 1-2c. and 15c. kind.....10c.
36-inch Silkolines, the very best quality made to go at 10c
72-inch All-Linen Table Damask, our $1 quality to sell at .....75c.
72-inch Linen Table Damask, our 75 and 85c. quality, at .....65c.
68-inch All-Linen Damask, our 65c. quality at .....50c.
Our $2.00 quality Linen Napkins to be sold at .....$1.00 doz
Our $2.50 quality Linen Napkins to be sold at $1.95
Our $3.00 quality Napkins in full sizes to be sold at $2.40
Our Table Cloths to match Napkins will be sold at the same reduction as Napkins.
Our 18c. quality Linen Crash Tape Border to be sold at.....15c
Our 12 1-2 quality Linen Crash to be sold 10c
Our 10c. quality Linen Crash to be sold at 9c
Our entire line of Embroideries have been marked down and will be sold at greatly reduced prices.

Everything in the House Will Be Sold Accordingly

So do not fail to come and see for yourself, as we have not the space to mention every article in this advertisement.

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LOCAL PASSENGER SCHEDULE.
Effective, Dec. 10, 1905.
EASTERN TIME.

EASTBOUND	No. 1 Daily A. M.	No. 3. Daily P. M.
Lv. Goldsboro	8.00	3.40
" Best's	8.21	4.01
" LaGrange	8.32	4.13
" Falling Creek	8.43	4.25
" Kinston	8.56	4.40
" Caswell	9.13	4.52
" Cove	9.41	5.16
" Tuscarora	9.51	5.26
Ar. Newbern	10.10	5.48
Lv. Newbern	10.15	5.55
" Riverdale	10.34	6.18
" Croatan	10.38	6.22
" Havelock	10.50	6.35
" Newport	11.06	6.52
" Wildwood	11.12	6.58
" Mansfield	11.16	7.02
Ar. Morehead City	11.30	7.20
" Morehead City Depot	11.40	7.30
	P. M.	
" Beaufort (BMC&OSSCo).	12.20	8.10

WESTBOUND	No. 3 Daily A. M.	No.4 Daily P. M.
Lv. Beaufort (BMC&OSSCo).	7.00	3.35
" Morehead City Depot	7.40	4.15
" Morehead City	7.50	4.22
" Mansfield	8.01	4.33
" Wildwood	8.05	4.37
" Newport	8.11	4.43
" Havelock	8.27	4.59
" Croatan	8.39	5.11
" Riverdale	8.43	5.15
Ar. Newbern	9.05	5.40
Lv. Newbern	9.10	5.43
" Tuscarora	9.31	6.10
" Cove	9.41	6.20
" Dover	9.58	6.36
" Caswell	10.08	6.46
" Kinston	10.22	7.00
" Falling Creek	10.35	7.13
" LaGrange	10.47	7.26
" Best's	10.58	7.37
Ar. Goldsboro	11.20	7.55

Trains Nos. 1 and 4 connect at Goldsboro with Atlantic Coast Line trains as follows: No. 41, southbound; No. 42, northbound, and with Southern Railway trains Nos. 111, westbound, and No. 112 eastbound.

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Summer Sales!

Summer seasons bring Summer sales and we have real Summer values.

In our Millinery Department trade has been unusually good this season and to-day we have the best assortment of ribbon that we have ever had.

We are showing this week No. 150 All-Silk Ribbon, a real heavy quality at 25c. per yard. The No. 200, we are selling at 30c., and No. 80, is 15c. per yard. No. 40, we sell for 10c. per yard.

The prices on this ribbon are very, very cheap, and we have just received an immense supply of these goods of the very best quality, and we have made this special prices on them.

In Hats, we have real nice up-to-date Short Black Sailors with bandeau underneath, the same kind we have been selling for $1.25, we are selling to-day at 75c.

Beautiful White Milan Sailors with silk bands and leather sweats, the prettiest and best beach hat made, we are showing at 98c. It is goods worth $2.00 each.

We have extra values in 25c., 50c. and 75c. Sailors.

We have also just received an assortment of styles of about twenty dozen, beautiful made Hats. They are goods that ought to be worth from $2.00 to $2.50 each. We are selling tnem from 98c. to $1.19 each.

VAL LACE—We are showing an unusually strong line in the round thread new patterns up-to-date goods.

While we have an immense assortment of cheap laces for 2c., 4c., and 5c. per yard, these goods would surprice you to see the assortment.

Butiour better laces run from 7c. to 15c. per yard.

I feel sure if you should see our Laces, you would be glad to give us an order.

ROYAL MUSLIN UNDERWEAR—We have secured the exclusive agency for the Royal Muslin Underwear for this city. Our sales since selling these goods, have increased about five times what they used to be, and today, I think this department stand at the head of any department of its kind in the city.

Every customer who buys the Royal Muslin Underwear is well pleased. Every garment is absolutely made correctly. Every seam is properly felled with no raw edges. Every customer brings another customer, and to-day we are selling Underwear, and we want to sell you yours.

We have one young lady who gives this department her entire time.

Ladies may call for what they want for we have got the goods from the cheapest to the best.

For Muslin Underwear, go to Gaylord's, get suited and save money.

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS —— We have the short sleeves and the long sleeve Shirt-Waist in silk from $3.75 to $5.00 a waist. We also have a beautiful assortment of Lawn Waists from 50c. to 75c. and up to $2.00 each.

UNDERSKIRTS——We control the agency for the Elite Brand. The goods are surprisingly cheap and beautifully made. You can buy a beautiful underskirt for $1.00.

The Russeleen Skirts rustle better than Taffeta Silk, and we are selling them for $2.00 and $2.50 each.

The Elite Silk Petticoats are absolutely guaranteed not to rip. They are beautifully made from the very best quality of Taffeta Silk, and the prices are from $5.00 to $8.00 each.

BATH SUITS——The season has come for Bath Suits and we have an immense quantity placed on sale for Women and Children—Men and Boys. We also have the shoes, caps and wings.

If you will see our prices on Bath Suits, we feel sure that we can sell you one. We have a large variety in all prices, styles and qualities.

HAMMOCKS——Take life easy; Gaylord has hammocks to sell and the prices are from 98c. up to $3.50 each.

If you wish a fine Hammock or a cheap Hammock, give Gaylord a chance on the sale. He buys direct from the factory and there is no middle man to reap a profit. His prices are absolutely right.

Have you seen the Beautiful Decorated China Breakfast Set that Gaylord is giving away with punch cards. With $1.00 and a punch card filled out, Gaylord will give you one Decorated China Breakfast Set of 31 pieces, worth at least, $3.50.

He wants your trade, offers inducements in big values and gives away presents free.

Remember the place on Front street.

Geo. O. Gaylord, Proprietor.

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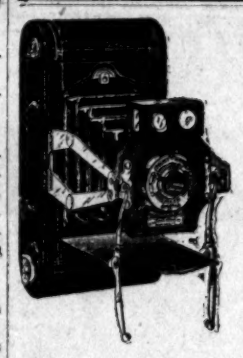

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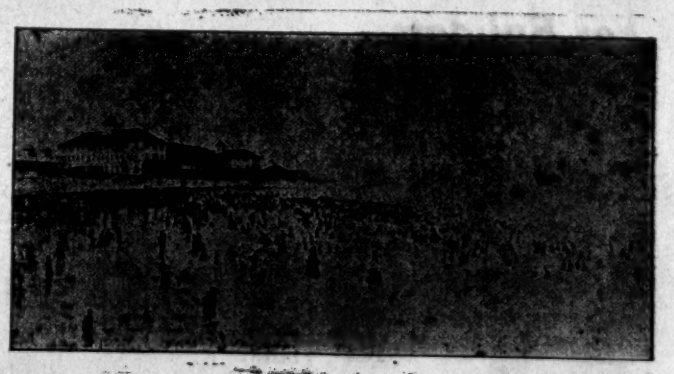

Seashore Hotel,

Under the same management for the past seven years, will open for the coming season on June 6th, 190 6. The hotel has been thoroughly overhauled and painted, Music the entire s eason by Professor Weber's Celebrated Orchestra of Memphis, Tenn. Hotel a nd grounds lighted by electricity. No Malaria, no Mosquitoes, no Flies. Arte sian Water. No more delightful resort in the South.

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WIFE KISSES WHOLE SCHOOL

Chicago Man Sues for Divorce Because She Was Affectionate Towards Tom, Dick and Harry.

Chicago, June 4.—For general and indiscriminate kissing Mrs. Violetta Lange is entitled to blue-ribbon honors, according to testimony in Judge McEwen's court today, where Mr. Lange is prosecuting a suit for separate maintenance.

Tales of kissing, singly and by wholesale, were related, involving Chester Challenger, choirmaster of the Humboldt Park Methodist church; Challenger's father and brother, and the entire membership of Tau Sigma Beta, a high school fraternity.

Some of the kissing was incident to an informal fraternity meeting. While Lange played the piano to entertain his guests Mrs. Lange played "postoffice."

Asked if he saw Mrs. Lange sit on another youth's lap at an entertainment, Elmer Challenger modestly replied:

"Mrs. Lange sat on my lap most of that evening."

Challenger here confessed that Mrs. Lange visited him about Epworth League matters and called him "sweet heart."

PRESIDENT RECEIVES BOYS.

Young Virginians Making Study of Municipal Government.

Washington, June 4.—President Roosevelt this afternoon received 15 officers and "citizens" of the St. Andrew's Social City, of Richmond, Va. The officers and citizens are young boys, who in an institutional way are being taught the principles of munipal government. Those who called on the President are the mayor and other members of the council of the Social City, which is conducted by the boys themselves. In the institution in which the model little city is maintained, there are fourteen hundred students in the day and night classes. The officers of the city are elected by the student body. The delegation which called on the President was presented by J. D. Sherman, physical director of St. Andrews' school. The President received the boys cordially and extended his best wishes for the success of their unique work. The boys will remain in Washington for two days studying the methods of government on a large scale.

At Knoxville, Tenn., yesterday the "Anti-Brownlow" Republicans of the First Tennessee District nominated A. A. Taylor, Republican, for Congress against Mr. Brownlow, who was recently nominated. Mr. Taylor is a brother of former Governor Robert L. Taylor, the Democratic Senatorial nominee in Tennessee.

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Give your family the purity and healthfulness of Schlitz beer.

We spend more than all the ordinary costs of brewing to be sure that it is pure and good.

Our barley is selected by one of the partners in our business. We go down 1400 feet to rock for water—to Bohemia for hops. The brewing is done in absolute cleanliness—the beer is even cooled in filtered air.

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Two more cars unloaded last Saturday. Another shipment (32) folding Go-Carts, Iron Beds, Iron and Wood Cots, Felt Mattresses, Matting, Porch Rockers, Settees. In fact, a full line of Summery and Beach goods at prices possible only to Large Cash buyers.

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TO THE DEMOCRATS OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

The undersigned respectfully announces that he will be a candidate for the office of Sheriff of New Hanover County, subject to the will of the Democratic primary.

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Why it will be to the interest of every one to
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FIRST REASON——It is our aim to open at No. 9 North Front Street with an entire new st ock.
SECOND REASON—We will soon tak e our annual inventory, and we would rather sell for l ess than take in stock.
YOUR TRADE WILL BE APPRECI ATED BY

PLATT & HAAR,
Agents for La Grecque Corsets.
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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, June 5, 1906.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market, firm 56 1-2c.

ROSIN—Market firm, $3.40.

TAR—Market firm at $1.90 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.90 per barrel for hard, $4.40; for dip, and $4.75 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin firm, $3.10; tar firm at $1.80; crude turpentine firm at $3.00, $5.00, $5.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	72
Rosin	118
Tar	48
Crude	167

Receipts same day last year—128 casks spirits turpentine, 538 barrels rosin, 41 barrels tar, 144 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Nothing doing.

Same day last year—Steady, 8c.

Receipts—92 bales; same day last year, 238 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, Prime, 75c.; extra prime, 80@85c.; fancy, 90 per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 55c.; extra prime, 65c.; fancy, 70c.; Spanish, $1.00@$1.05.

CORN—Firm, 65@66c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 13@15c. per pound; shoulders, 9 to 10c.; sides dull, 9 to 10c.

EGGS—Firm at 15@16c.

CHICKENS—Dull, 15 to 30 for small; Grown, 35@45.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60@70c. per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c. pound.

TURKEYS—Firm, 15c for live; dressed, 16 2-3@18.

HIDES—Dry salted, 12c.; green, 8c. per pound.

PORK—Dull, 6 to 7; hams, 8 to 10.

THE COTTON MARKETS.

New York, June 5.—The cotton market was nervous and unsettled. Trading was active early, but quiet in the afternoon when prices fluctuated within narrow limits following the early break. The close was steady at a net decline of 7@13 point. Sales were estimated at 200,000 bales.

The opening was barely steady at an advance of 1 point to a decline of 4 points. Cables were a little disappointing and the local market was aggressively raided by local bears right after the call. The decline resulting in the absence of important bull support caught stop loss orders and forced out some of the recent buyers. There were one or two slight rallies on covering but the market showed a downward tendency until July sold at 10.45 and December at 10.29 or about 15@17 points net lower, when it was steadied by covering and later fluctuations were very narrow with the close 5 to 6 points up from the lowest. The day's weather reports were favorable, the South was a seller in the local market and the weekly report of the weather bureau was considered bearish. Private cables from Liverpool reported sentiment badly mixed and after the opening there of American selling. The southern spot markets were unchanged to 1-8c. lower. A warehouse firm was reported involving about 2,000 bales of the local stock, but this attracted little attention.

Receipts of cotton at the ports today 12,396 bales against 16,725 last week and 23,767 last year. For the week 60,000 bales against 76,957 last week and 112,430 last year. To-day's receipts at New Orleans 2,696 bales against 4,919 last year, and at Houston 2,178 bales against 5,140 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands, 11.25; middling gulf, 11.50; no sales.

Futures closed steady. Quotations follow:

Month.	Opening.	Closing.
June	——	10.44
July	10.62	10.49
August	10.49	10.41
September	10.45	10.32
October	10.40	10.31
November	10.38	10.29
December	10.42	10.34
January	10.43	10.37
February	10.45	10.37
March	10.51	10.46

Port Movements.

Galveston—Quiet, 11 1-8c.; net receipts, 3,442 bales.

New Orleans—Quiet, 10 7-8c.; net receipts, 2,696 bales.

Mobile—Quiet, 10 5-8c.; net receipts, 589 bales.

Savannah—Quiet, 10 7-8c.; net receipts, 3,226 bales.

Charleston—Net receipts, 172 bales.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts 92 bales.

Norfolk—Quiet, 11c.; net receipts, 2,176 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 1-4c.

New York—Quiet, 11.25.

Boston—Quiet, 11.25.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 11.50; net receipts, 3 bales.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 12,396 bales. Exports: France, 1,124 bales; Continent, 12,482 bales; Stock, 471,444 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 31,423 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 12,875 bales; France, 7,782 bales; Continent, 46,192 bales; Japan, 450 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all ports—Net, 7,533,864 bales. Exports: Great Britain, 2,681,441 bales; France, 668,505 bales; Continent, 2,450,135 bales; Japan, 115,914 bales; Mexico, 2,764 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Easy, 11c.; net receipts, 2,178 bales.

Augusta—Steady, 11c.; net receipts, 247 bales.

Memphis—Quiet, 11c.; net receipts, 356 bales.

St. Louis—Quiet, 11c.; net receipts, 83 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 589 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 11 3-8c.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, June 5.—Closing cotton: Spot, quiet; prices, 1 to 3 points higher. American middling fair, 6.51d.; good middling, 6.27d.; middling, 6.05d.; low middling, 5.87d.; good ordinary, 5.67d.; ordinary, 5.47d.

The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 4,600 American. Receipts, 1,000 bales including 600 American.

Futures opened firm and closed easy. American middling, G. O. C.: June, 5.73; June and July, 5.73; July and August, 5.73; August and September, 5.67; September and October, and November, 5.59; November and December, 5.54; December and January, 5.54; January and February, 5.54; February and March, 5.55; March and April, 5.56.

NEW YORK FINANCIAL

New York, June 5.—Money on call easy, 3@3 1-2 per cent.; ruling rate, 3 1-4; closing bid, 3; offered at 3 1-4. Time loans easier on short rates, sixty days, 4@4 1-2 per cent.; ninety days, 4 1-4@4 1-2; six month, 4 1-2@4 3-4.

Prime mercantile paper, 5@5 1-2 per cent.; sterling exchange easier at 485.50@485.55 for demand and at 482.40@482.45 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 483 and 486 1-2. Commercial bills, 482 1-8@482 1-4. Bar silver, 66. Mexican dollars, 51.

U. S. Bonds.

U. C. Refunding, 2s. reg	103
U. S. Refunding, 2s. cou.	103 1-2
U. S. 3s reg	102 3-4
U. S. 3s cou ex in	102 3-4
U. S. old, 4s reg ex. inst	102 3-8
U. S. old, 4s. cou.	103 3-8
U. S. New, 4s reg.	128 3-4
U. S. New, 4s cou	128 3-4
American Tobacco, 4s cert	79
American Tobacco, 6s. cert	114
A. C. L., 4s	100 1-8
Baltimore & Ohio, 4s	103 1-2
L. & N. Unified, 4s	103 1-2
Seaboard Air Line, 4s	88 3-4
Southern Railway, 5s	117 3-4
U. S. Steel, 2nd 5.	98 3-4

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	109
American Sugar Refining	136 1-8
American Tobacco, pfd., cert	103 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line	148 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio	108
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd	94
Chesapeake & Ohio	58 3-4
Louisville & Nashville	149 3-4
Manhattan L.	152
New York Central	140 1-8
Norfolk & Western	87 3-4
Norfolk & Western, pfd	90
People's Gas	92 1-4
Reading	142 3-8
Reading, 1st pfd	91 1-2
Reading, 2nd pfd	95
Southern Pacific	67
Southern Pacific, pfd	119 1-2
Southern Railway	38 5-8
Southern Railway, pfd	99
Tenn., Coal & Iron	157
U. S. Steel	41 3-8
U. S. Steel, pfd	106 1-4
Va.-Car. Chemical	40 7-8
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	109 1-4
S. A. L., com.	30 3-4
S. A. L., pfd	55 1-2
Standard Oil	618
Western Union	92 3-8

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, June 5.—Improved weather for the growing crop caused weakness to-day in the local wheat market, the July option closing at a net loss of 3-8c. Corn was also down, 3-8c. Oats showed a net gain of 3-8. Provisions were up 10@17 1-2.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat, No. 2.—				
July	81¼	81½	80¾	80¾
Sept	80½	80⅝	79⅝	79¾
Dec.	80⅝	80¾	80⅛	80¼
Corn, No. 2.—				
July	49⅝	49¾	49⅛	49⅜
Sept	49¼	49¾	49	49¼
Oats, No. 2.—				
July	33¾	34½	33¾	34⅜
Sept	31⅞	82½	31¾	32¼
Dec.	33⅛	33⅛	33	33
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
July	15.95	16.17½	15.95	16.17½
Sept	15.85	16.00	15.82	16.00
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
July	8.52½	8.62½	8.52½	8.60
Sept	8.65	8.77½	8.65	8.75
Oct.	8.62½	8.65	8.62½	8.65
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
July	9.10	9.22½	9.02½	9.12½
Sept	9.05	9.12½	9.05	9.12
Oct.	8.90	9.00	8.87½	9.00

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, easy; No. 2 spring wheat, 81@83; No. 3 spring wheat, 77@78; No. 2 red, 86 3-4@87 1-2; No. 2 corn, 50; No. 2 yellow, 50 1-2 No. 2 oats, 34 3-8; No. 2 white, 35 1-4@36; No. 3 white, 34@35; No. 2 rye, 60 1-2; Short ribs, sides (loose), 9.05@9.15; Mess pork per bbl., 16.15@16.20; Lard per 100 lbs., 8.52 1-2 Short clear sides (boxed), 9.50@9.60; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.29.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

New York, June 5.—Flour dull and about steady.

CORN MEAL—Steady.

WHEAT—Spot barely, steady; No. 2 red 94 nominal elevator. Options, 1-4 to 3-8c. net lower. July, 86 7-8; September, 84 3-4; December, 85 1-2.

CORN—Suot, easy; No. 2, 58 nominal elevator. Options, 1-4 to 7-8c. net lower. July, 56 1-8; September, 55 7-8; December, 55.

OATS—Spot, steady; mixed, 29 1-2.

LARD—Steady; western prime, 8.70 @8.75. Refined, quiet.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Steady.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio, quiet; mild, steady. Futures steady at a net decline of 5@10 points.

SUGAR—Raw, firm; fair refining, 2 15-16@2 31 32; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 15-32@3 1-2; molasses sugar, 2 11-16 @2,23-32. Refined, firm.

BUTTER—Firm in tone, but unchanged prices.

CHEESE—Easy; new State, large best, 10 3-4.

EGGS—Firm, unchanged.

POTATOES—Irregular; Main per bag, 2.25@2.90; State and western, 2.50@2,75; European per bag, 2.50@2,65.

CABBAGES—In light receipts and unchanged.

FREIGHTS AND PEANUTS—Quiet, unchanged.

COTTON SEED OIL—Comparatively quiet with prices a shade lower under light liquidation. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 30 1-2 nominal; prime Summer yellow, 37 1-2@38; prime white, 41; prime Winter yellow, 41.

DRYGOODS MARKET.

New York, June 5.—The drygoods market was quiet and firm on domestics to-day. The pobbing trade was good. The China trade is very dull but there is a steady export trade with the West Indies, South America and the Philippines. The lining market was quiet, but there is complaint that grey goods are hard to get from the mills. Prices were firmer last week.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, June 5.—Turpentine firm 60 to 60 1-2; rosin firm, strained common to good, 4.00.

Savannah, June 5.—Turpentine firm, 57 1-4. Sales, 1,083. Receipts, 1,452; shipments, 168.

Rosin, firm; sales, 2,666; receipts, 4,793; shipments, 1,182. Stock, 64,275. Quote: A. B. C., 3.50; D., 3.65; E., 3.85; F., 3.90; G., 3.95; H., 4.15; I., 4.20; K., 4.25; M., 4.35; N., 4.45; W. G., 4.40; W. W., 4.65.

Charleston, June 5.—Turpentine and rosin, unchanged.

Sheriff M. W. Page, of Wake county, on Monday tendered his resignation to the board of county commissioners. So far their are four aspirants as his successor.

Following the Flag.

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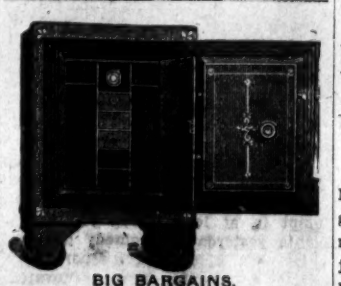

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W. & W. Railroad—17 bales cotton, 16 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—45 bales cotton, 23 casks spirits turpentine, 77 barrels rosin, 2 barrels tar, 38 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—16 casks spirits turpentine, 9 barrels rosin, 8 barrels tar, 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—11 casks spirits turpentine, 8 barrels tar, 26 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. C. W. Lyon—20 casks spirits turpentine, 16 barrels rosin, 6 barrels tar, 30 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—92 bales cotton, 72 casks spirits turpentine, 118 barrels rosin, 48 barrels tar, 167 barrels crude turpentine.

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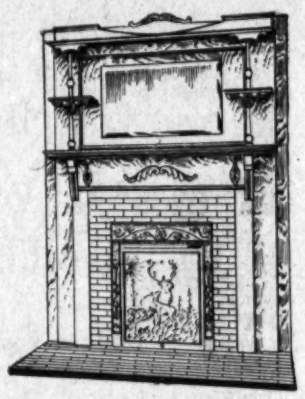

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N. J. WILLIAMS,

may27-tf Chief-of-Police.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

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RAILROAD PROBING AS TO COAL AND OIL

Inter-State Commerce Commision Elicits Fact That One Coal and Coke Company Presented New York Central With $1,500,000 Stock

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Philadelphia, June 5.—Contrary to expectations, President Cassatt, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, did not appear before the Interstate Commerce Commission to-day when it resumed its investigation of the alleged connection of railroads with the soft coal and oil interests. Commissioner Clements said the investigation had not reached the stage that demanded the testimony of Mr. Cassatt, and he was unable to say whether his appearance would be required by the commission.

The New York Central Railroad, the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg Railroad, and the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad were under investigation to-day, the hearings being conducted by Commissioners Clements and Cockrell. The examination of the officials of the New York Central occupied all of the morning session, and a part of the afternoon session. It developed that no employes or officials of the company held stock in mining of oil companies. Vice President E. V. W. Rossiter testified, however, that the Beech Creek Coal and Coke Company had presented the railroad with five thousand shares of stock, par value $100 "for traffic reasons."

Later when the Beech Creek Company was merged into the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke Company this stock was surrendered, the railroad receiving $1,500,000 worth of stock in the latter company.

E. V. W. Rossiter, vice president of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, in charge of the financial department, was the first witness. The examination was conducted by Attorney E. B. Whitney, of New York. Mr. Rossiter, after explaining how the railroad acquired its $5,000 stock in the original Beech Creek Coal and Coke Company, said that a contract had been signed by the railroad and the coal company, and the stock was given in consideration of the contract. This contract was read by Mr. Whitney. It was dated January 17, 1901, and by its provisions the coal company agreed to mine at least 1,000,000 tons of coal every year and the railroad agreed to furnish cars equal to that amount of coal annually, exclusive of fuel cars. The railroad further agreed to interest itself in no other coal company excepting the Clearfield Bituminous Coal Corporation. The railroad also agreed to purchase 500,000 tons of feul coal every year.

The capital of the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke Company, Mr. Rossiter thought, is $10,000,000 or $12,000,000. Mr. Rossiter said that the Clearfield corporation was a merger of a number of smaller companies, owned by the New York Central. These companies, he said, supplied only fuel coal to the road. The witness said that the railroad also owned the entire stock of the Galliten Coal Company, but had an agreement with the Webster Coal and Coke Company and the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke Company by which the latter operated the mines.

Commissioner Clements questioned Mr. Rossiter concerning the policy of the New York Central as to its officials holding stock in coal mining companies.

He said there was no absolute rule, but it was tacitly understood to be against the policy for officials to hold such stock.

C. H. Ewlings, superintendent of freight transportation, was questioned concerning the distribution of cars. He said the company never refused to inform a coal company as to its rating. He said it was a rule of the company, generally observed, that when it was intended to charge the rating of a mine the operator was consulted. He was asked if he had received complaints from operators of a shortage of cars.

"A man wouldn't be a mine operator unless he complained," was the reply. "Wherever shortages occur we endeavor to make them up as soon as possible."

Mr. Ewlings stated further that there were no individual cars on the New York Central other than those of the Beech Creek Coal and Coke Company. The railroad's policy, he said, was to furnish sufficient transportation facilities for all coal mined and that there had never been such a scarcity of cars at any time as to seriously hamper the individual mine production.

Commissioner Clements asked the witness if he did not consider publicity in the matter of distribution a better policy both for the railroad and the coal company. Mr. Ewling's said he could see no objection to such a method.

A. H. Smith, general manager of the New York Central, said he owned no oil nor coal company stock. He did not know the policy of the company concerning share holdings of the kind, but had no knowledge of any official of the railrod holding stock in coal mining companies. Mr. Smith was questioned concerning sidings. He believed on several occasions requests for siding had been refused. If complaint of unfairness had ever been made the responsibility rested entirely with the judgment of the officials.

J. B. Bradfield, general superintendent of the New York Central, said he had no interest directly or indirectly in any coal or oil companies.

P. E. Crowley, assistant general superintendent, said that when he was trainmaster he had received gifts "of cigars, inkstands and the like," but got no money nor coal company stocks.

Mr. James Kerr, a coal operator, explained that the Beech Creek Company paid the Central Railroad of New Jersey $13,000 annually for the use of the Port Tibe Pier and that the Berwind-White Company leased the Harsimus Pier from the Pennsylvania Railroad for $1,800 annually. Mr. Kerr said the New York Central seldom gave his company the number of cars needed, but that was due to lack of motive power rather than an attempt at discrimination.

In answer to questions concerning the rates of New England from the Southern and the Pennsylvania coal fields, r. Kerr asserted that if the same mileage rate was charged by the Pennsylvania Railroad from Clearfield to tide water as is charged by the Chesapeake and Ohio and the Norfolk and Western, the rate per ton on Pennsylvania coal would be about $2.26 instead of $2.70 the existing rate.

John H. Herchardt, of Brooklyn, secretary and assistant treasurer of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg Railroad, testified that the company owned nearly all of the coal companies on the Middle and Pittsburg divisions of the road and produced ninety per cent. of the tonnage.

William Waters, alias "Curley," the negro convicted of brutally murdering four other negroes, was legally executed at Fernandina, Fla., yesterday.

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COTTON ACREAGE IS MANIPULATED

Representative Ellerbee of South Carolina Make Serious Charge In House

WANTS OFFICIAL SHEETS

Acreage Report Juggled by Agricultural Department to Injury of South—Correspondents and Agents Did Fake Work.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, June 5.—Representative Ellerbee, of South Carolina, introduced a resolution to-day charging that the cotton acreage report of the Department of Agricurture issued yesterday giving an estimate of 28,686,000 acres, exceeds the amount actually planted, and it not warranted from the returns received by the Department from its corps of correspondents.

The resolution directs the Secretary of Agriculture to furnish the House at once the tabulated sheets showing the estimate of acreage made by the seven classes of correspondents namely:

The field agents, the State agents, the country correspondents, the township correspondents, the ginners, the special correspondents and the individual farmers.

MAN KILLED WITH HAT PIN.

Tried to Separate Two Girls Who Were Scrapping.

Kittaning, Pa., June 5.—Edward Ralston, of Elder's Ridge, near here, is dying from a stab with a hat pin received while separating two girls who were quarreling over the result of a ball game in which partisan feeling ran high yesterday afternoon. The game was between two teams from neighboring towns and after the game the girl supporters of the defeated team attempted to take the colors away from the adherents of the victors. It was while separating two of the combatants that Ralston received the stab wound. It is not known who wielded the weapon and physicians say Ralston cannot recover.

A LOCK CANAL SAYS STEPHENS

Chief Engineer of Panama Canal Now Opposes Sea-level Waterway

IT WOULD BE DEEP CANON

There Are Now 200,000 Laborers on Ithmus But Men of All Nations Are Desired—Eight Years To Build.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, June 5.—The House committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce to-day heard Chief Engineer Stevens, of the Isthmian Canal Commission, regarding engineering problems on the Isthmus of Panama.

Mr. Stevens gave in detail the reasons of his conversion from a sea-level advocate to a lock canal enthusiast. He said the popular impression of a sea level canal was that when it was constructed a person could stand at one end of it and lonk along the surface of the canal from ocean to ocean. As a matter of fact, if the sea level type of canal should be built, he said, it would be more in the nature of a "sewer." It would be a narrow channel deep down in narrow canons; it would have a strong current and in his opinion there would be no way to divert the torrents of the Chagres river, or at least, this question was the one engineering problem on the isthmus which far overtopped all others. This river, if turned into a sea level canal, he believed, would render it non-navigable if it did not completely destroy it.

Mr. Stevens explained in detail what is known as the 85 foot level type of canal. This contemplates building a dam a Gatun on the Atlantic side and of Laboca on the Pacific side, backing up the waters of the two watersheds and thus avoiding digging or dredging for a total of twenty-eight miles of the distance. This type of canal could be built in eight years.

Mr. Stevens has never been satisfied with labor conditions on the isthmus. He would have three or four nationalities there.

IMMIGRATION PLANS OF SOUTHERN STATES

Commission Organized In New York Yesterday With North Carolinian as President—Will Maintain Bureau In New York

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, June 5.—A resolution requesting that Congress allow the importation of labor by employers and that the contracts between such laborers and their employers will be filed with the government at the port of entry, was to-day presented by Max Robinson to the Southern States Immigration Commission, which met in this city to-day to discuss methods for the securing of desirable immigrants for the South. The resolution further provides that the wages to be paid under such contract be not less than the recognized standard of the locality in which the work is to be done and further expresses disapproval of the bill providing for additional education qualifications and an increased head tax as a bar to the importation of a desirable class of immigration.

Action on the resolution was deferred until the commission's return from their inspection of Ellis' Island late to-day.

A letter was also read from Theodore Marburg, of Baltimore, who is a member of the Immigration Committee of the Civic Federation, in which Mr. Marburg wrote that only 4 1-2 per cent. of the immigrants coming to this country last year went to Southern States and that there was urgent need in the South of an immigration of a new race which can be counted on to make its contributions to progress.

The members of the commission inspected the immigration station on Ellis' Island to-day on invitation of Immigration Commiasioner Watchorn. In the course of an address to the commissioners, Mr. Watchorn said:

"Immigrants who arrive here are for Northern points and if you were to try and steer them from several points they would think you were buncoe men. Unless the wages of the South are brought up to the standard of those of the North you cannot expect immigrants to go South, and if you did get them to go they would not stay because they would probably hear from their relatives in the North who were making more money."

This statement caused surprise among members of the commission who seemed to be under the impression that immigrants have no special destination and would gladly accept any proposition which was made them. In order that the commission might be convinced Commissioner Watchorn allowed Chairman James E. Graybill to question several of the immigrants. Of the half dozen or more questioned, not one would consent to abandon the place he was bound for and go South.

The election of permanent officers of the commission resulted as follows:

President—T. K. Burner, of North Carolina.

Vice President—D. W. Coons, of Kenucky.

Secretary and Treasurer — David Robinson, of Georgia.

After the regular meeting, the executive committee held a meeting at which arrangements were made for the immediate establishment of a bureau in New York to carry forward the work outlined, in securing and delivering desirable immigrants to the South.

David Robinson was chosen commissioner in charge of the bureau and Dr. Thomas R. Slicer, who, though a resident of New York, was put down as representing his native State, Maryland, whose governor had sent no representative, was chosen chairman of the executive committee. Mr. Robinson said that the bureau would go to work immediately. The commission adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

Under suspensoin of the rules, the House yesterday passed the Senate bill to provide for sittings of the Circuit and District Courts of the Southern District of Florida in the city of Miami in said district.

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RAILWAY RATE BILL BACK TO CONFERENCE

Senators Foraker and Tillman Object to Changes made By House Conferees—Railroad employes Protest On Pass Question.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, June 5.—As Senator Tillman suggested there was a "streak of yellow" in the Senate today due to the fact that practically every desk in the chamber was covered with telegrams of protest against the anti-pass provision in the railroad rate bill as reported by the conference committee. Senator Hopkins annouced that there were 6,000 signatures attached to the batch of messages sent up by him, and as several others forwarded as many the total number received was quite formidable. They were all from railroad men and in each case consisted of protests against cutting off the privilege of riding free. In addition there was a formal statement on behalf of engineers, firemen, conductors and trainmen, saying that they represented 230,000 railway employes.

While the messages were raining upon the chair, Senator Tillman made protests saying that the telegrams could and in the interest of time-saving should be presented through the secretary.

"I hope," interrupted Senator Foraker, "that the Senator will not insist on his point, as by so doing he would suppress all knowledge of the popularity of the rate measure."

It was then that the South Carolina Senator made his suggestion concerning the prevailing color in the Senate. He also made the statement that the telegrams bore evidence of the possession of a good many telegraph franks in the country. He called attention to the fact that the bill applies only to inter-state business and expressed the hope that if the Senate would proceed with business there would yet be a "sane, reasonable and just measure" envolved.

Senator Tillman made an appeal for the consideration of the conference report on the railroad rate bill. "We expect that the bill will be sent back to conference," he said, "and it will not take long to do that.

Mr. Tillman proceeded by calling attention to the changes made by the conferences. He said they were only for the purpose of making the bill clearer. He closed by moving to disagree to the report, thus sending it back to conference. Senator Hale met this motion with a motion to take up the naval bill. Senators Elkins and Nelson insisted on making a point of order against Mr. Hale's motion, but the chair overruled them. The motion to take up the naval bill then prevailed 26 to 20.

After passing the naval appropriation bill the Senate returned to the rate bill report and discussed it at length.

Senator Foraker criticised the conferees on account of the new matter, saying that the conferees were not legislators but mere intermediaries. He also objected to the change in the anti-pass provision, making especial complaint of the elimination of the railroad employes from the privilege of free transportation.

Senator Tillman replied that the change had been made at the demand of the conference members of the House. He promised to do the best possible if the bill should be sent back. "I don't know what we can accomplish," he said, "for there are some hard headed men in the House as well as in the Senate."

Next Mr. Foraker found fault with the amendment prohibiting discrimination for or against passengers on account of color. He said several negroes had complained of the provision as a recognition of the "Jim Crow" laws of the South, but that such had not been the intention, the only purpose being to secure proper treatment for all where the "Jim Crow" system prevails.

Mr. Foraker having said that he had received complaints concerning the character of railroad accommodations supplied negroes in the Southern States, Senator Bailey, of Texas, and Bacon, of Georgia, denied that any discrimination is practiced in their respective States in the character of the cars supplied.

Mr. Tillman said the amendment was the last yielded by the Senate conferees and expressed the hope that the Senate would instruct the conferees to insist on its amendments. He said that he had himself been invited out of a "Jim Crow" car in South Carolina and had gone, believing that one race as well as the other should obey the law.

Senator Foraker also returned to his contention that the rate bill was not necessary legislation but that all that was requisite was to strengthen the Elkins law.

Senator Gallinger criticised the new provision fixing the salary of the Secretary of the Interstate Commerce Commission as new legislation, and said that Mr. Mosely, the present secretary, had tried to make it appear that he (the Senator) had spoken of him (Mosely) as an anarchist and that such was not the case. He had, however, expressed the opinion that the secretary would be better off if he would give his attention to the duties of his office than he would be in making an effort to influence legislation.

The matter was still under consideration when the Senate adjourned.

PACKING HOUSE STINK STIRS TWO CONTINENTS

Mayor Dunne Uses It To Urge Municipality Owned Slaughterhouse—Chicago Establishments Cleaning Up—Londoners' Stomachs Turned

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Chicago, June 5.—Impelled by disclosures at the stock yards, Mayor Dunne has announced a new municipal ownership project. He declared in favor of the city owning a slaughtering plant where the packers would be compelled to kill and prepare the meat for sale to the public under strict municipal supervision.

The only difficulty foreseen by the mayor is the problem of raising the necessary funds for such an undertaking. He will confer with members of the City Council to see if there is not some way of finding the money.

The sanitary inspectors were to-day sent to the stock yards by Commissioner of Health Whalen with instructions to make a thorough inspection of the methods in handling meat, to examine the sanitary condition of the employes and to make immediate report concerning any unsanitary conditions that may be found. Building Commissioner Bartzen also sent a number of inspectors to the stock yards to examine all the buildings in the yards. He gave them instructions to report any violations of the building ordinances that are apparent.

Packing Houses Cleaning Up.

Chicago, June 5. — The Tribune says:

One of the immediate effects of the President's disclosure of packing house conditions was seen in an attempt in at least three of the big plants yesterday to remedy the conditions condemned in the report. Toilet arrangements were renovated, floors clearned, walls scraped and light and ventilation improved. The surroundings of the workers in these three plants were improved fifty per cent. in one day.

Besides renovating the plumbing, the packing companies put up a variety of signs all over the plants enjoining cleanliness. The foremen were told that the rule against expectorating must be enforced or discharge would result. Another new rule posted conspicuously was that forbidding the use of tobacco in all food producing rooms.

New York Authorities Alert.

Albany, N. Y., June 5.—Commissioner Porter of the State Department of Health to-day mailed instructions to every local health officer in the State, directing them to made an immediate and thorough inspection of any and all meat packing establishments or slaughter houses within their jurisdiction. "Any such conditions as those commented on by President Roosevelt in his special to Congress," says Dr. Porter in his letter, "are intolerable and must not be allowed to continue if they exist in this State."

Londoners Wont Buy Canned Meats.

London, June 5.—The sales of canned provisions in London to-day were infinitesimal. All the dealers had the same tale, namely that for the last week their sales had dropped daily until to-day when the official confirmation of the packing disclosures was published. Many of the large provision stores did not sell a single tin of meat or a pound of sausage. The boycott affects Brittish colonial as well as American supplies.

—State Veterinarian Tait Butler in a report to the board of agriculture recommends that farm and dairy institutes for women be held in 20 counties during the Summer.

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